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SOVIET WANTS TROTSKY

Protest Lodged With Norway
Following Request

Moscow, Yesterday.
Dissatisfaction that Norway has declined the Soviet's request to refuse M. Trotsky the right of asylum is expressed in a note despatched to the Norwegian Government by the Soviet, saying that the Soviet is not satisfied with the restrictions imposed on M. Trotsky's liberty and expressing the opinion that the Norwegian attitude in not in conformity with the friendly relations between the two countries.—Reuter.

MINE STRIKE IN LANARKSHIRE

Serious Situation
Developing

STAY-IN TACTICS FOLLOWED

London, Yesterday.

While representatives of mine-owners and miners met in London to-day under a neutral chairman in an endeavour to settle the South Wales miners' dispute, a threatening situation developed in Lanarkshire, where about 500 men are involved in a strike at William Dixon's pit at Blantyre. Already 4,500 miners have struck in sympathy, and it is now feared that the strike will spread to the whole county.

The miners' organisations have not organised the stay-in strike, but when the management declined to permit food to be sent down to the strikers their colleagues ceased work. A doctor descended the pit to examine 14 men reported to be ill, and when he returned to the surface he stated that the men refused to leave their comrades. The strikers were drinking the water from a mine-sump. Six men have come to the surface, all being unwell.

The strikers demand better working conditions and wages.—Reuter.

TROOPS ON WAY TO PALESTINE

Many Detachments
Leave

EMERGENCY TRANSPORTS
ARRANGED

London, Yesterday.

The first detachment of troops for Palestine left Bordon camp early this morning for Southampton, to join the Dorsetshire, which sails to-day with 1,700 men, including two units of the 3rd Infantry Brigade, comprising 53 officers and 1,182 men of the Royal Northumberland Fusiliers and the Irish Fusiliers. They were to be sent to Southampton by the 6th, 12th and 13th and 26th Field Companies of the Royal Engineers. On Monday two other vessels of the emergency transport fleet, the Lauretic and Nevra, will leave Southampton with the Headquarters Staffs of the 1st Division, some of the smaller units and half of the 2nd Infantry Brigade.

The Lauretic is a fast vessel and is expected back in Southampton in time to sail again on or about October 20, probably with the 3rd Battalion of the Coldstream Guards and the 2nd Battalion of The Buffs to complete the force.—British Wireless Service.

CHINA PREPARES HER DEFENCES

CO-OPERATION BETWEEN MILITARY LEADERS

COHESION OF COUNTRY SECURED BY GENERALISSIMO

[From A Special Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday.

A month has elapsed since Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek came to Canton in order to settle the Nanking-Kwangsi dispute, during which time this Napoleonic soldier of China has completed the unity of his country, work which is highly praised by all Chinese as well as by Europeans and Americans. Speaking to the audience after the Memorial Service to commemorate the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen's work for the revolution, he asked the people to support him in his military, political, economic and educational reforms. Being the acting Chairman of the Central Executive Committee (since Mr. Hu Han-min died) and concurrently the Acting Chairman of the Central Political Council (Mr. Wang Ching-hui being in Europe), President of the Executive Yuan and Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, he is the real man to look after the party, political and military affairs of China.

Now the attention of both Chinese and foreigners is focussed upon his attitude towards the Chengtu and Pakhoi incidents and the no doubt strong Japanese demands during the coming Sino-Japanese negotiations. As he has accomplished the solution of the disputes between the two Kwangs without bloodshed, it is his responsibility whether war will start in the Far East or not. The Generalissimo has strengthened the Chinese national defence in the Yangtze Valley and the north-western provinces, and he is now working for the rehabilitation of the south-western provinces. His real attitude with regard to Mr. Hirota's three points is not known.

YUGOSLAVIA AND RUMANIA

Important Meeting Of
Prime Ministers

MUTUAL REQUIREMENTS FIXED
BY AGREEMENT

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Belgrade, Yesterday.
The visit of the Premier, M. Stoyadinovic, to Bucharest has, according to the Yugoslavian press, yielded concrete results with which both sides have every reason to be well satisfied.

The Politika asserts that a Yugoslav-Rumanian agreement about deliveries of naphtha for the needs of the Yugoslavian army has already been signed. The intention is to accumulate large mineral oil reserves in Yugoslavia, for the supply of which Yugoslavia will deliver to Rumania other raw stuffs needed by the Rumanian army, notably copper.

TRAFFIC PLANS

The Politika continues that the negotiations about the construction of the new trans-Danube bridge and the new railway connection between Yugoslavia and Rumania are to be brought to a speedy close, for which purpose the Rumanian Minister of Traffic, M. Franasovici, will visit Belgrade on September 13 and 14. The new railway, says the Politika, will be chiefly of strategic importance.

Finally, the question of the little Entente's relations with Soviet Russia was discussed at Bucharest and the common attitude which the two Governments will take up at the Pressburg conference was determined. In Bucharest the desire was shown to arrange a closer economic collaboration between Rumania, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia, about which more will be heard at the Pressburg conference. (Continued on Page 19.)

But Chinese circles everywhere are greatly pleased to learn that the Chinese military brain, General Pei Chung-hsi, has definitely announced that he will come to Canton before Tuesday next, and will go to Nanking with the Generalissimo to face the Japanese menace after holding a special military conference at Whampoa to lay down military and foreign policies for China. News also reaches here that through the good work of Marshal Feng Yu-tsung, the Vice Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, General Sung Chi-yuen of Peiping and General Han Fu-ku of Shantung have formed an alliance to face any foreign aggression that may be encountered. The re-establishment of the 19th Route Army will be definitely recognised by Nanking and it will be under the command of the former commanders, General Chang (Continued on Page 22)

SOVIET RED ARMY

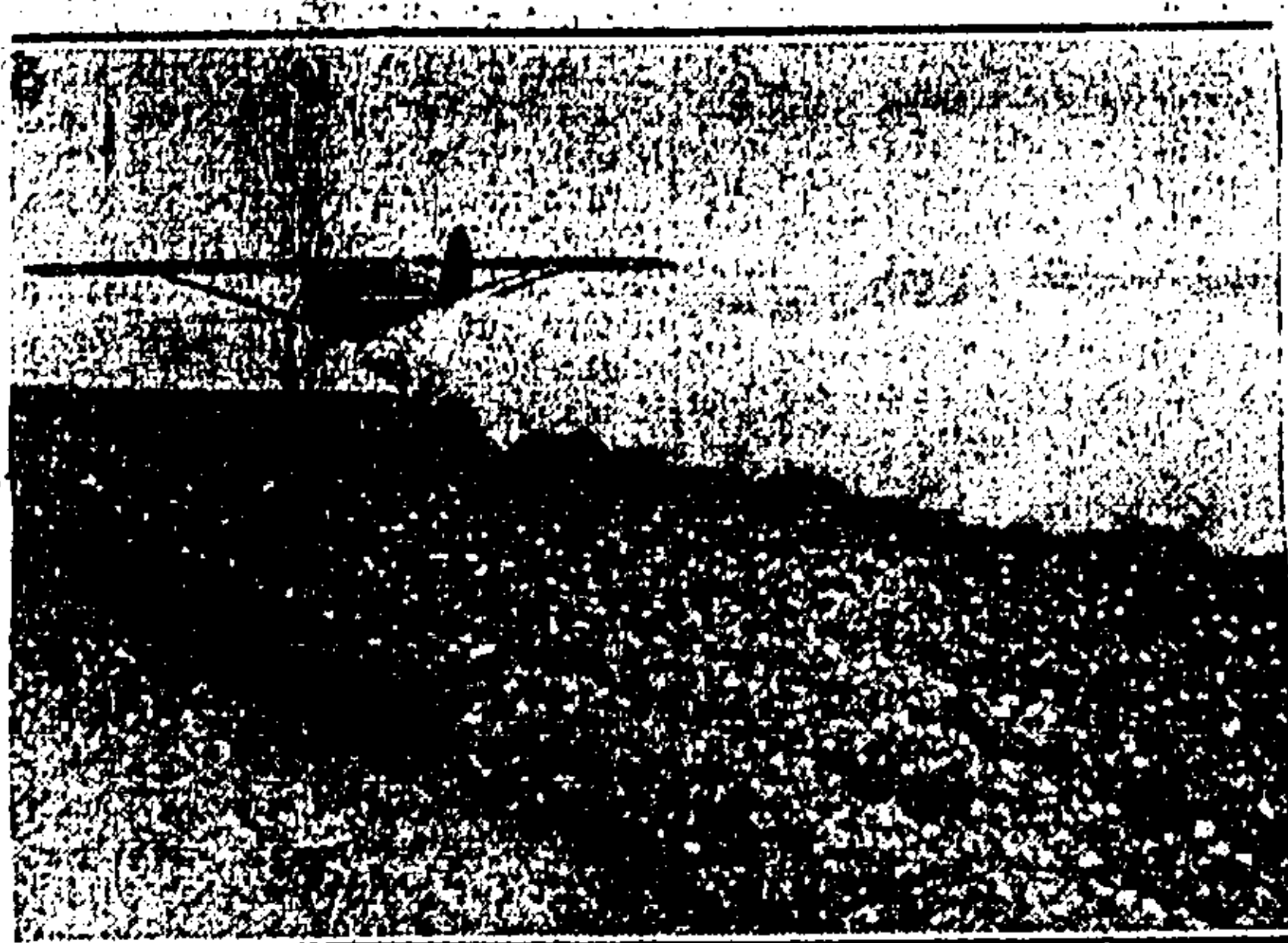
Fighting Spirit Causes
Admiration

Moscow, Yesterday.
Admiration for the fighting spirit and pertinacity of the Red Army was expressed by Major-General A. P. Wavell, head of the British mission to the Soviet manoeuvres, at a dinner in honour of the visiting missions. Major-General Wavell declared: "The brilliant Red Army's tremendous achievements have greatly astonished us." He wished them every success.

M. Goloded, replying, emphasised that the main task of the Red Army was defence of the peaceful building-up of the country.—Reuter.

FORMER CHINESE PREMIER PASSES

Peiping, Yesterday. — The death has occurred of Mr. Pan Fu, former Premier of the Peiping Government in 1927 under Marshal Chang Tso-lin.—Reuter.



Taking no chances with what they expect to be the most prosperous season in a decade, Maine's potato growers, who raise 10 per cent. of America's spud crop, are utilising the latest methods to prevent a spread of the blight. A plane is here shown dusting the fields at Argostook, Me., with a powder to fight the spud's enemy.

GERMAN YOUTH PARADE AT NUREMBERG

INTENSE ENTHUSIASM SHOWN

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Nuremberg, Yesterday. — At the parade of German youth before the Fuehrer in the Nuremberg stadium this morning over 45,000 boys of the Hitler Youth and 5,000 girls of the League of German Girls stood like statues, tense with expectation, as Herr Hitler entered and with raised right arm greeted the company with "Heil, my youth!" The applause that stormed forth in response lasted for several minutes, during which the Fuehrer stood at the salute, waiting to begin his address.

CANADIAN TRADE WITH SOVIET RUSSIA

Mutual Embargoes Removed

Ottawa, Yesterday.
The Prime Minister, Mr. Mackenzie King, announced to-day that friendly trade relations had been resumed between Canada and Russia. Since early in 1931, when each country placed an embargo against the other, trade between them had been almost negligible. The embargoes had now been removed.—Reuter.

FLYING-BOATS TESTED

New Imperial Airways
Machines

FOR EMPIRE SERVICE

London, Yesterday.

The giant flying-boat Caldonia, the second of the 29 aircraft now being built for Imperial Airways' empire routes, was launched at Rochester yesterday and underwent a test flight, which is stated to have been satisfactory. The flying-boat will be completed in time for the Caldonia to leave on Monday for Felixstowe, to be tested for a certificate of airworthiness. It has rarely happened that such a big aeroplane has been ready for submission to Air Ministry tests within three days of the trial flight. The boat was handled easily on the water and took off quickly, and as a result of the flight the boat was regarded as ready for full-load tests.

Meanwhile the flying-boat Canopus, which is the first of the series, is nearly ready for the acceptance tests of Imperial Airways. The Canopus is regarded by the builders and other experts who have inspected her as a model of what an efficient and luxurious flying-boat should be. The Times says she gives every promise of surviving the owners' trials with credit.—British Wireless Service.

"German youth," began Herr Hitler. "You have the rare good fortune to witness an epoch as agitated as it is great. You see before you the resurrection of a State such as the old Reich never knew. What we are creating will endure."

"How great is the difference to-day between the surrounding world and our fatherland! That is because we have not sat with folded arms, waiting for a miracle to happen. We took the shaping of our own destiny into our own hands."

"What we are we have become by the mastery of our own will. I believe in a Providence, but in a just one. For I am convinced that the brave, strong, and courageous obtain the reward of their sacrifices. Everywhere to-day we see signs of reascension, work and achievement. (Continued on Page 19)

U.S. AIRMEN HELD UP

Hope To Leave This
Morning

Liverpool, Yesterday.
The American airmen Richman and Merrill stayed up throughout the night until dawn this morning in the hope of being able to take off on their return flight to New York. Owing to the heavy rain and an unfavourable wind the fliers gave up their attempt, but hope that by to-morrow morning the weather conditions will have improved enough to enable them to start on their journey.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

KING'S HOLIDAY DRAWS TO A CLOSE

London, Yesterday.—It is understood that H. M. the King will leave Vienna to-morrow night on his way home to England. Under the present arrangements His Majesty will probably complete the later stages of his journey by air.—British Wireless Service.

HARDLY ANY FOOD SUPPLIES

MOLA'S FORCES CLOSING IN ON BATTERED CITY

NEW OUTCRY IN FRANCE

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Paris, Yesterday.

A general attack on San Sebastian, the outer suburbs of which have been under heavy artillery fire since yesterday evening, as previously reported, was expected to begin this morning, according to despatches reaching here, which add that it was not anticipated that the Nationalist troops under General Mola would encounter serious resistance.

Fugitives from the town who have arrived at Hendaye report that the Red Militia is straining every effort to move the guns, munitions and other war material to Bilbao, but that they are meeting with great difficulty, since the road from San Sebastian to Bilbao is under continuous machine-gun fire.

The papers here unanimously report that the situation in San Sebastian is desperate, there being hardly any food supplies left in the town. It is stated that all the remaining foreigners have now gone, and that the French Consulate has been evacuated. The Consul himself has embarked for St. Jean de Luz on board a French destroyer.

Other despatches assert that the Anarchist and Communist elements in San Sebastian, who were enraged by the measures taken by the Governor of the town, Senor Ortega, in causing the hostages to be transported to Bilbao, broke into the houses of several prominent citizens yesterday in order to secure new hostages, and that the Basque National Guards were unable to maintain order. Paris: A number of French youths under the age of 21 have been recruited for service in the Spanish Red Militia, according to the Journal, which publishes a letter from a Parisian family whose 17-year old son was enrolled by the so-called "International Labour Party."

The parents state that they have vainly endeavoured to trace their son, and that when they complained to the police the latter referred them to the Search Office for missing persons.

The office, however, so the parents assert, declined to undertake any search for the missing lad and informed the parents that they were by no means the first persons to report the disappearance of youths suspected of having been enrolled in the Spanish Militia; but that the office had received strict orders on the subject and could consequently not render any assistance.

The paper, which features the letter prominently on the front page, asks what steps the French Government intends to take in order to have these various lads, who are under-age, restored without delay to their families.

ARGENTINE RECOGNITION? Hendaye: The Argentine Government has recognised the provisional Government at Burgos, according to a broadcast message from the town of Jaca, which states that the provisional Government has been informed of this decision by the Vice-President of the Argentine Republic. The information, however, has not yet been confirmed from any other source.—Trans-Ocean Service.

NON-INTERVENTION PLAN London: Information is still being received from various non-interventionist Governments regarding the measures taken by them to give effect to the agreement to withhold supplies from Spain, and it is hoped that a complete record of these steps will be available for presentation at the meeting in London on Monday afternoon of the international committee for the application of the agreement.—British Wireless Service.

DIRECT HIT ON BARRACKS Rabat: A direct hit on the Government barracks in Madrid during an insurgent air-raid is claimed in a broadcast from Seville, which states that 250 Militiamen were killed.—Reuter.

Earlier messages on Spain appear on Pages 18 and 22.)

TEN GOVERNMENT PLANES SHOT DOWN

Burgos, Yesterday.—It is reported that the anti-Government troops have advanced 10 miles nearer to Madrid. Ten Government planes were shot down in the course of the fighting.—Reuter.

INTERNAL STRIFE IN SAN SEBASTIAN

Merchandise And
Money Removed

OPERATIONS AGAINST MADRID CONTINUED

Hendaye, Yesterday.
Completely surrounded by land and expecting an insurgent attack every hour, San Sebastian has become a prey to severe internal warfare. According to refugees, a battle has started in the streets between Anarchists and Basque Nationalists.

Heavy firing by insurgent artillery is reported on the outskirts of the city, but the main attack is expected to-morrow morning upon the expiry of the ultimatum giving foreigners and civilians 48 hours to leave. The insurgents will find that the town is denuded of money and merchandise, all of which has been commandeered and despatched to Bilbao by sea, and hence the inhabitants are in a parlous condition.

The operations against Madrid have not been abated. The insurgents have routed the Government columns in the region of Telavera and have opened the way to the capital.

DESPERATE BATTLE Burgos, later: It is also announced that the new positions completely dominate Pasajes, the commercial port of San Sebastian, captured by the anti-Government troops.

A desperate battle lasting four hours ended in the withdrawal of 1,500 Militiamen, who left many dead. The positions at San Sebastian from the south are apparently unchanged, pending the capture of Renteria and Pasajes. The General Staff deny the Madrid report that Huasca has been captured, and state that the Government lines are still 10 miles from the town.—Reuter.

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Life Guard Overboard!

By NARD JONES

LINDSLEY Eagles Smithson regarded Linda Connors with the dignity which becomes a man who has graduated from Crestmont high school the previous June.

"I'm sorry," said Lindsley, "that I won't be in Crestmont this summer. But maybe you and your family can come down to Brightshore Beach for a week-end."

Pensively Linda Connors stirred her chocolate soda with a draw. "Maybe," said she, "we can." She smiled upon Lindsley with the particular smile which she had moved into Crestmont—the smile, in fact, which had changed Lindsley's whole life. "Of course, I think Crestmont is a lot of fun in the summer, don't you? I mean, it's much more fun in the summer than it is in the winter."

"Maybe you're right," said Lindsley. "But this Brightshore Beach is a pretty swell place."

"I understand it is..." Linda spoke between draws at the ice cream soda. "Ted Davis and his family go there quite often, and he says it's grand."

Young Mr. Smithson tried his best not to show annoyance at the mention of Ted Davis. "Yeah," he answered casually. "I think of Ted Davis did go there once with his folks. But I don't see how he remembers much about it. He must've been in short pants that summer he went."

Perhaps some odd glint in Mr. Smithson's eyes made Linda more conciliatory. "I think it's wonderful, Lindsley, that you got a job as life saver at Brightshore Beach. I guess it's a pretty important job, being a life saver at Brightshore."

"They call us life guards," Mr. Smithson corrected gently. "And not everybody can be one. You have to pass a lot of tests, and you have to be—well, you got to be fairly good-looking and all."

He stopped, reddened modestly, and added: "Anyhow, that's what the man said."

Linda nodded understandingly. "I know how it is. Once I spent the summer at Evergreen Cove and the life guards were simply messes. I mean they were just impossible. A girl doesn't feel right about going out in the breakers when the life guards are impossible. If they don't look like they'd really dash in and save a girl you sort of—well, you sort of lose confidence about going out at all."

Linda's blithe and impersonal discussion of life guards took Lindsley aback.

"It's not just a matter of looks, though," he hastened to explain. "For instance, if it was just a matter of looks old Ted Davis might be a good life guard—even if maybe he's a little short. But a fellow that's a life guard has to know what it's all about. He might have to go out in the surf and save somebody. You don't just sit up on a high stool in the sun all day and watch people in swimming."

Lindsley laughed easily. "Some of the fellows think it would be a swell job because they think you just sit there and watch pretty girls in fancy bathing suits."

If the delectably blond Linda was dismayed at this prospect for Lindsley she gave no sign of it. She completed her soda with becoming delicacy, and asked, "Will you have to wear that white stuff on your nose?"

"I should say not. I can even without squinting. I don't see why I should have to wear anything on my nose at all."

"I'm awfully glad of that," Linda sighed. "I think that white stuff looks just too silly."

"You must have made quite a study of life guards."

"Well, you do have to look at them. I mean, you can't very well avoid looking at them. They're always sitting up on those platforms in the sun or else they're out in a rowboat where you're swimming. Will you sit on a platform, Lindsley, or will you be out in a rowboat?"

"Probably both," Lindsley reached for the check. "I guess we'd better be getting along. It's almost dinner time."

All the way to the Connors house Linda was singularly quiet. But whether it was due to thoughtfulness at his impending departure for Brightshore Beach, or whether she was recalling life guards she had known, Lindsley Eagles Smithson could not determine. Taking advantage of Linda's silence, he pondered it.

Linda had always been sort of hard to figure. She wasn't, Lindsley told himself for perhaps the four hundredth time, like any of the other girls in Crestmont high school. It wasn't just that she was a darned sight prettier than any of them. Because, as Lindsley's mother so often pointed out, beauty is only skin deep. But Linda had brains beneath her corn-colored hair.

"Well," Lindsley said at the steps of the Connors house. "I guess we won't be seeing each other for a while."

"No... I guess not, Lindsley." "Unless you and your family come to Brightshore Beach this summer."

"I don't know," said Linda slowly. "We might get father down for a week-end, but he says he's not going anywhere this summer. He says he can rest better at home, and that it doesn't cost so much."

"Well... my train leaves pretty early in the morning. I guess if I don't see you before then I'll see you in September, won't I?" Lindsley shifted from one foot to another, his eyes speculatively on the Connors' front windows. It was still fairly light, and there was the chance that Mr. Connors, or even Linda's mother, might be observing him. But he blurted out: "Since we're practically engaged and all I don't see why I shouldn't kiss you goodbye."

Miss Connors stopped back quickly. "Lindsley! Not right here. Old Mrs. Bark watches everything from across the street."

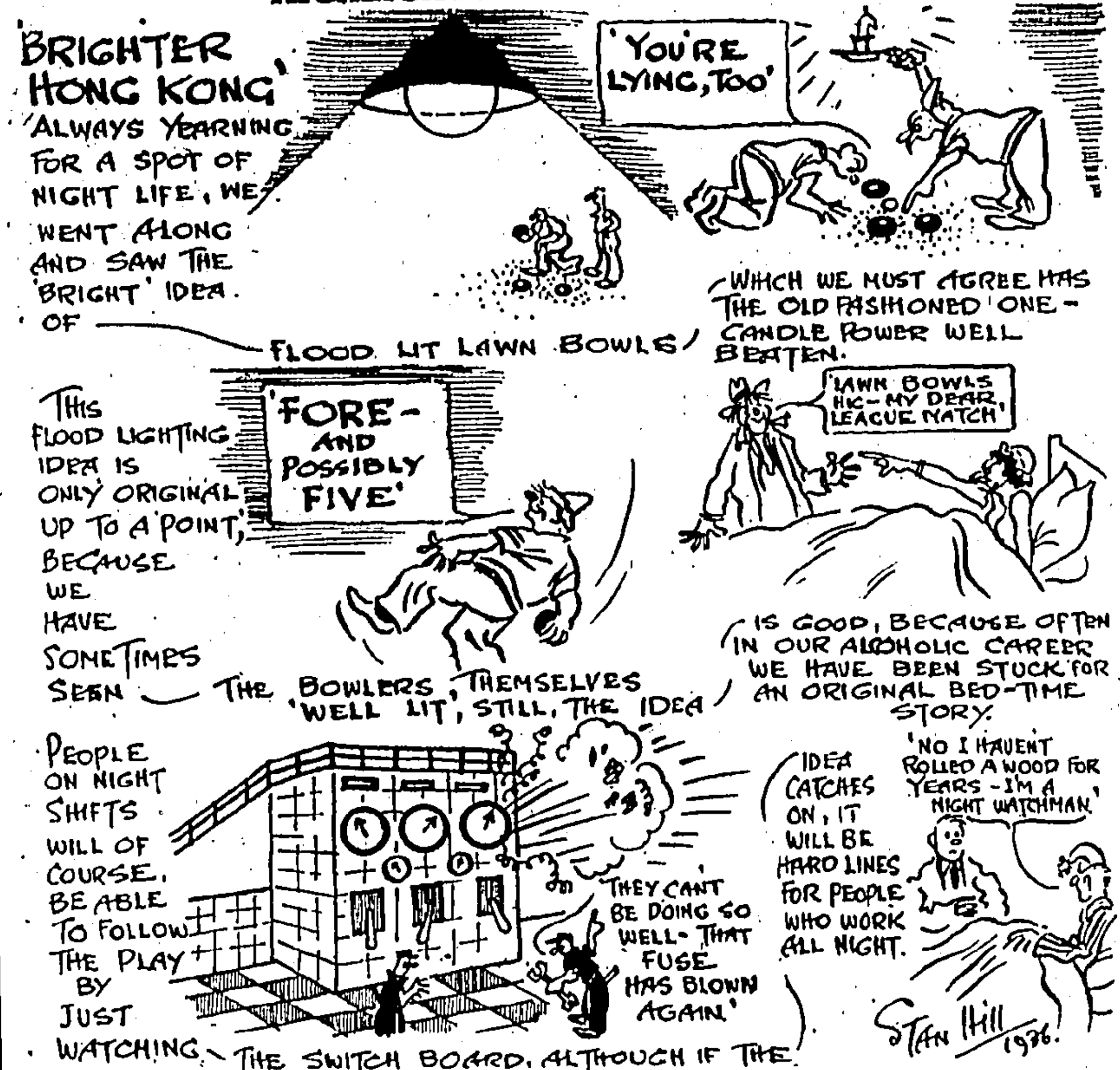
"On the porch then."

"Well..."

They sought the semi privacy of the front porch, and Lindsley was about to take an osculatory distance when the door opened suddenly and Mr. Connors jovially boomed at them. "Well, well,

BRIGHTER HONG KONG
ALWAYS YEARNING FOR A SPOT OF NIGHT LIFE, WE WENT ALONG AND SAW THE BRIGHT IDEA OF

'HIGHLIGHTS OF THE GAME'



Lindsley! Understand you're going to work this summer?"

There should, Lindsley, informed himself, be a special sort of weapon for fathers who believe they possess a sense of humour. It should be a combination of an elephant gun and a machine gun, with all the best features of both. But Lindsley's smile did not betray this regrettably homicidal thought, and ignored completely Mr. Connors' implication that this was the first summer he had laboured.

"Yes, sir, I've passed the life guard tests and I'm going to Brightshore Beach to-morrow."

"Fine! I suppose it's a mighty good work if you can get it." Mr. Connors bent a sly gaze toward his daughter. "Do you have to teach young women to swim?" "No," said Lindsley stoutly. "It's just summer work, of course. But it'll give me a chance to decide whether I want to go to college or into—into some sort of business."

"I see," Mr. Connors began relighting his pipe, and Linda and young Mr. Smithson exchanged helpless glances. Relighting that pipe was a rite which neglected the passage of time.

"Well, I better be getting along," said Lindsley. "Got a lot of packing to do. Hope I see you folks down at the beach this summer."

"Beach? Oh—well, I don't know. Anyhow, I hope you have a pleasant summer, Lindsley. And remember, don't risk your life unless you're sure the girl has money!"

As heartily as he could under the circumstances, Lindsley laughed. "Goodbye, Linda."

She took his hand warmly. "Bye, Lindsley. Write me, won't you?" He assured her that he would, and went disconsolately down the steps. "It's certainly a heck of a note," he muttered, "when a couple of engaged people can't have a minute alone to say goodbye in. I bet Linda gets awful tired of his wisecracks. I bet she'll be darned glad to get away from them when we're married and all."

The slight that met his eyes when he reached his own front porch did nothing to lift his spirits. Through the open door he perceived his sister unwrapping the new shirts he had bought that morning. With that preoccupied sobriety of the very young Audrey Jane Smithson was removing the transparent wrapping from each shirt—after carefully folding the paper—allowing the shirt itself to fall to the floor.

"Hey, what's the idea!" Audrey Jane calmly lifted her gaze to take in an unfrightening universe together with the unimportant speck which was her brother. "Mama said I could have the wrappings for the windows in my doll house."

"You don't need to throw the shirts all over the floor!" "A life guard don't need shirts," retorted Audrey Jane. "He just sits around all day with nothing but short pants on."

With admirable forbearance Lindsley decided that on his final summer night in the house he wouldn't descend to do battle with

Audrey Jane. Instead, he streaked through the kitchen, kissed and pleased Mrs. Smithson on a cheek, and went in to wash for dinner.

"I was talking with Mrs. Davis to-day," his mother said at dinner, "and she tells me that perhaps Ted will take her down to Brightshore Beach for a week or so this summer."

"Good," said Lindsley.

"Yes, it'll be nice to see someone there from Crestmont."

"That," put in Audrey Jane, "isn't what Lindsley's thinking of. He's thinking that if Ted Davis is at Brightshore he won't be taking Linda to the movies."

By leaving early next morning Lindsley managed to escape with a minimum of additional advice. A hurried household had little time except to arrange breakfast and drive him to the station.

He had been to Brightshore Beach on several occasions with his parents, but it had never seemed quite so awe-inspiring as it did when he debarked from the train at Brightshore station. There was the tremendously large Brightshore Inn with stucco glistening in the sunlight and brave multi-coloured awnings. Then there were the rows of countless beach cottages, each with its bright canvas roof.

And towering above everything except the Brightshore Inn were the life guard platforms. Atop the life guard platforms, a young man in a robin's-egg blue trunk with a towel about his shoulders. Beyond, and flanking the ropes stretching into the surf, were several rowboats in each of which were two young men in blue trunks.

Following previous instructions Lindsley sought Mr. McGovern, assistant manager of Brightshore Inn. Mr. McGovern passed him on to his assistant, who in turn presented him to Mike Morris, grizzled veteran of many a summer beach.

So within 10 minutes Lindsley found himself attired in pair of robin's-egg blue trunks. Mike Morris surveyed him, and Lindsley had never felt quite so skinny. "You go out with Jim here and take the oars."

Lindsley had been about to exclaim, "Not on a tower?" but he caught himself in time. That afternoon he "took the oars" for Jim, learning how to keep the boat playing near one spot—and pulling to another at Jim's orders. The next day was the same—and the next, and the next.

In the weeks that followed, Lindsley did witness three or four thrilling rescues. But he was still rowing for Jim. And he was still rowing for Jim when Mrs. Archibad Davis with her son, Ted, arrived at Brightshore Beach. Which wouldn't have been so disturbing had not Mrs. Stephen Connors, with her daughter Linda, accompanied them!

The night of their arrival Lindsley ignored the fact that guards were discouraged from mingling with Brightshore guests. He donned white flannels and crashed the dance.

"Oh, Lindsley!" Linda exclaimed when he encountered her in the foyer. "I'm so glad to see you, I

and I'd have written oftener but—"

"Hullo, Smitty!" It was Ted Davis, sauntering from the check room. "Saw you rowing a life guard around out there to-day. Looks like a tough racket to me."

"We change around," said Lindsley. "Some of us row one day and some the next." He turned to Linda. "We have a dance, don't we?"

Ted edged her toward the dance floor. "Sure," he said, "sometimes after this one. Remember, Linda, you got to dance with the guy what brung you."

This, Linda later explained to Lindsley, was essentially the truth. "I have to be nice to him, don't you see? After all, mother and I did come with Mrs. Davis. It would be unfair to mother if I weren't nice to Ted."

On duty next afternoon, Lindsley cornered Jim. "Listen, Jim, you gotta take the oars to-day. You just gotta."

"I don't get it, kid. You're broke in now so it don't bother you. What's the idea? Some damo?" He stopped, breaking into a broad grin. "Sure, I know now. It's that babe in the yellow bathing suit. Okay."

So Lindsley Eagles Smithson sat grandly in the stern of the dinghy, his shoulders with nothing more to do than support a towel. He hoped with all his heart that Ted Davis would see—and Ted Davis did.

"Hey, big shot," Davis yelled from the water, and Lindsley looked down to see his fellow townsman treading water not 15 feet away. Lindsley nodded briefly and brought his eye back to more important charges. They lit almost at once on a yellow satin swim suit.

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STOMACH PAINS THAT "CUT LIKE A KNIFE"

Mr. J. F. S. was going cheerfully about his daily work when he was suddenly stricken with stomach trouble that required weeks of medical attention. How he was eventually cured is best told by himself: "Just a few lines to say what great benefit I have received from using your grand preparation," he writes. "I had a sudden attack of stomach trouble and was under a doctor for a month with hardly any benefit, although the medicine was changed three times."

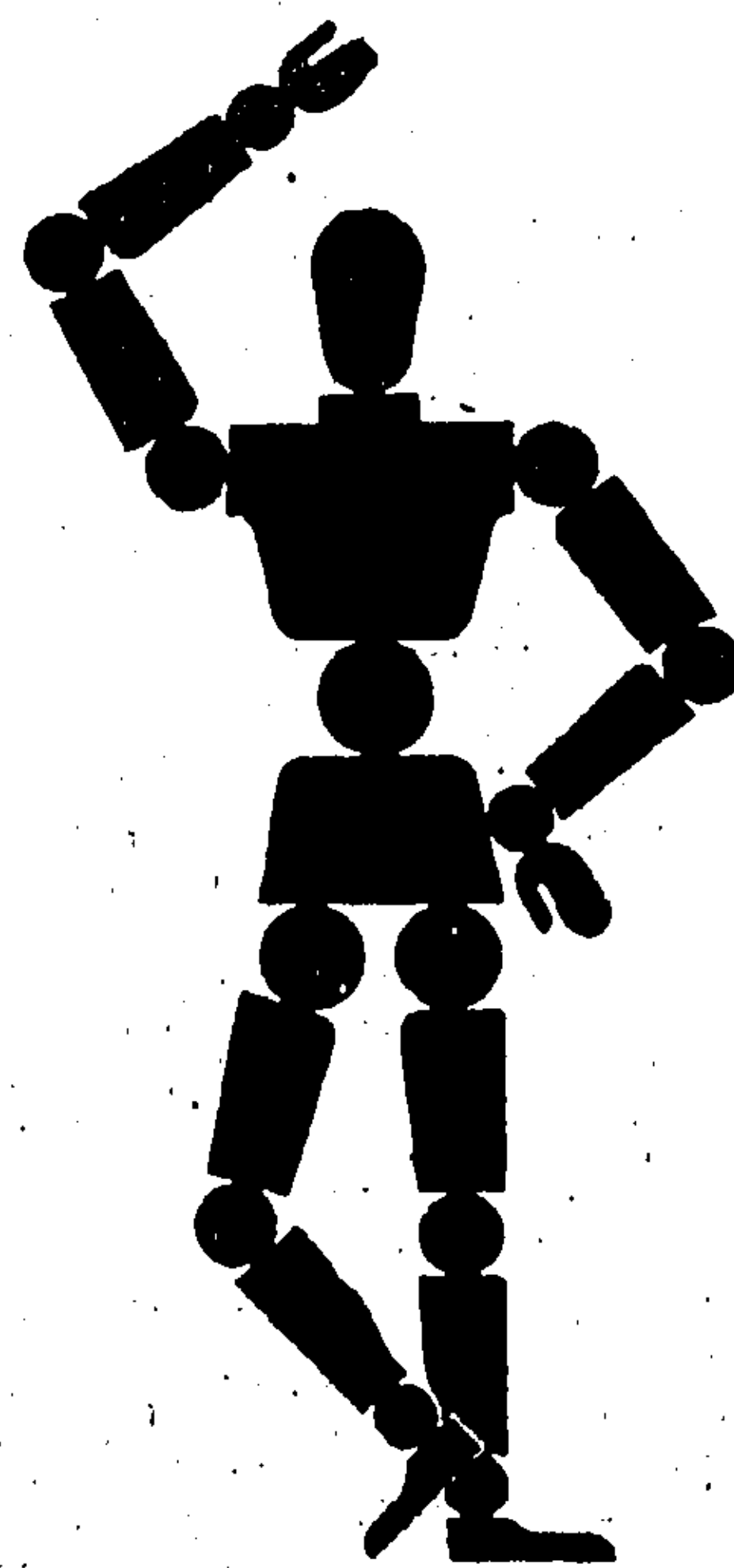
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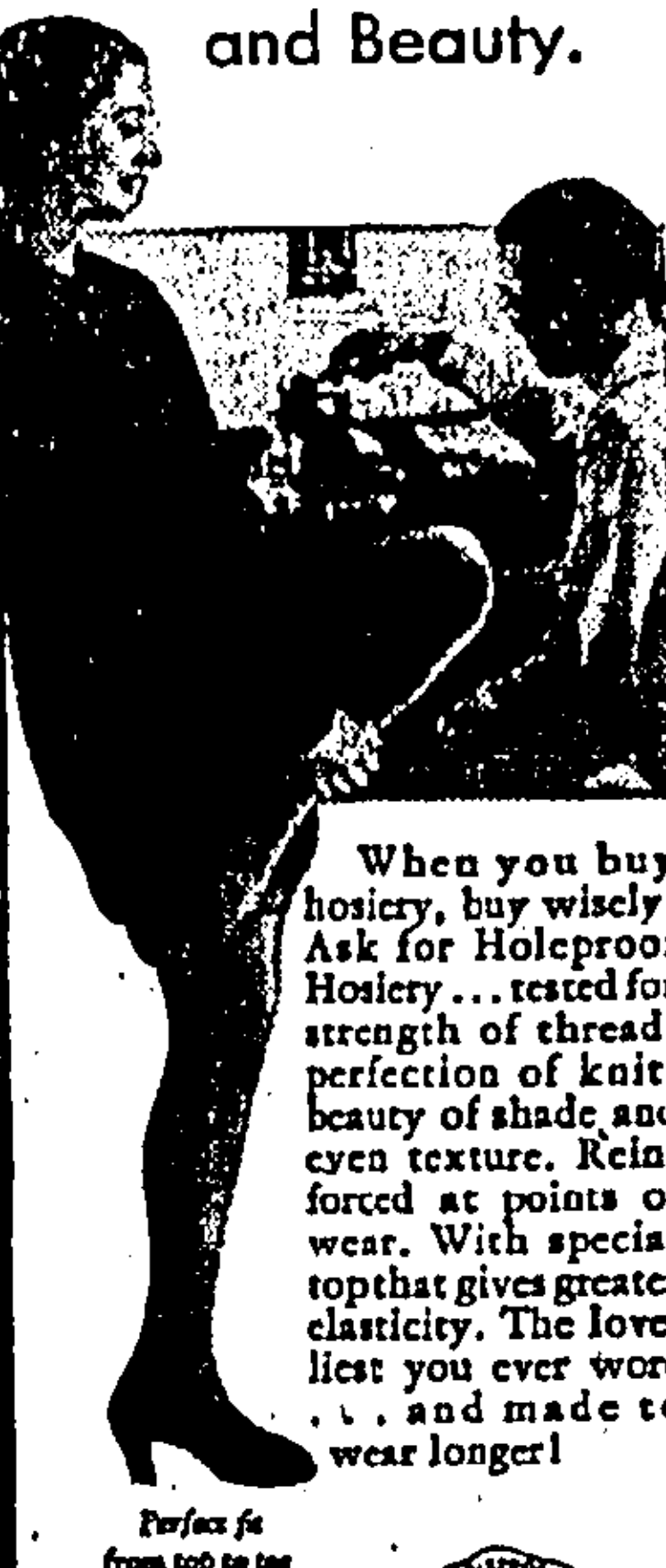
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Colour was the first consideration in choosing one's ensemble for the night racing. Since some tones lose all their brilliancy under the ferocious spot-lights, pure white is safest of all. It looked well this season with white accessories or accented by details in a vivid colour. Black enables one to play at being invisible. Certain shades of violet retain their full value. Fragile and delicate tints, rather

OUR PARIS LETTER EVENING FASHIONS PASS LIGHT TEST

than violent hues, blend beautifully under the showers of light. Pale orange, dawnpink and the whole gamut of rosetones gallantly "showed their colours." Some lovely shaded plaid chiffons were noted. Printed ensembles with light grounds were worn with plain pale-tinted accessories to match.

Make-Up Important

One's make-up, too, is a vital point. One arrives for dinner in bright daylight and later on must face moments of fiercely extravagant theatrical lighting. The new Hawaiian make-up passed this double test with flying colours. The island-red rouge and lipstick, containing a lot of yellow, and the golden



CHEESE SOUFFLE

LINE a pastry ring with pastry. Boil ½ pt. milk with a small, sliced onion, a blade of mace, and a teaspoonful of pepper-corns, and strain on to 10z. each of flour and butter that have been cooked together without browning. Stir over the fire until thick and boiling. Take the pan off the fire and add one teaspoonful of grated parmesan cheese, two egg yolks, and about 1oz. of cheddar cheese cut into small squares. Fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites, and turn all into the prepared pastry. Dust with sieved browned breadcrumbs and bake in a hot oven for about half an hour.

MODERN CUTLERY

EVERY housewife, to perform efficiently the tasks of the kitchen, should have a wide range of cutlery at her disposal.

The housewife should have at least one large butcher knife, two or more paring knives, a sharp knife for cutting bread smoothly and evenly. Domestic tasks call for one wide and one narrow blade spatula for spreading frostings and turning foods during cooking. Long handled testing forks are indispensable, as are fowl shears for a perfect job of cutting and preparing birds for the oven. French boning knives of finest steel, handmade and hand sharpened, are useful for the success of a roast.

No kitchen is complete without a slender meat saw and cleaver, a strong knife for general use, and a small carving knife and fork.

HOW TO WASH WOOLLEN GARMENTS

NEVER let the garment pull out of shape by its own wet weight. Let it rest upon the bottom of the bowl when washing (remember to squeeze only, do NOT rub). Rinse in the same way by squeezing at the bottom of a bowl of lukewarm water. Put through a wringer, supporting the weight all the time.

Let the garment lie flat upon towels on a table, then wring as dry as possible, and gently pat to shape and size while damp. Place a dry towel between the layers; this will prevent colours staining through and also speed up the drying process.

BABY'S MORNING SLEEP

THE morning rest should be continued until baby is about two or three years old, though she may not actually sleep much after the second birthday. The longer she can have a nap, the better, and it should be taken out of doors or on a balcony if possible.

little tricks

TO freshen wallpaper, rub briskly with cotton or flannel, using a new piece as one becomes soiled. Rub vertically or horizontally, and do not cross the rubbings.

TO restore velvet when crushed, hold it wrong side down over a basin of boiling water, and you will find the pile will gradually rise. It takes some time, but the result is most satisfactory.

IN washing camels leather, always use warm water, with a few drops of ammonia. Rub it gently, without wringing. Press it in the hands, and dry it quickly in the sun to prevent hardening. When dry, rub the stiffness out.

SALT in the rinsing water will set any colour, even black. Coloured linens put into a hot solution of three gills of salt to four quarts of water will be fadeless. Leave them in the salted water till cold.

BROWN sugar is an antidote to salt. If you make your stew or soup too salty, add a small teaspoon of brown sugar, and the bring taste will disappear.

TO clean a sponge, pour some boiling water on a small quantity of salts of lemon, and soak for an hour. Then rinse thoroughly in warm water with a pinch of washing soda. Rinse again in cold water and dry in the sun. This method is good for dish-cloths as well.

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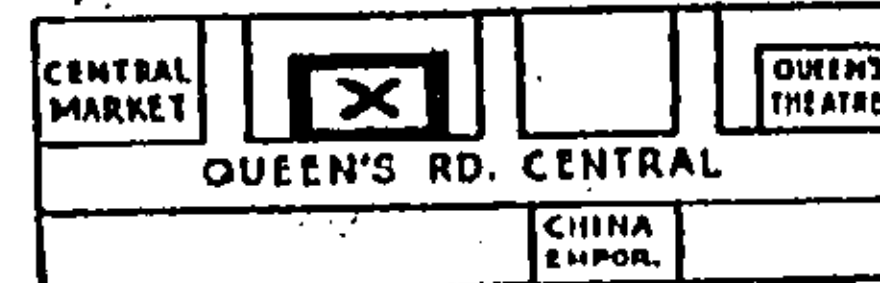
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HIRST AGAIN FIGURES IN FIGHTING FINISH

THREE NEW SKIPS ENTER LISTS

THE defeat of Recreio Juniors by Craigengower and the Electricians' success over the Yacht Club provided the only surprises in yesterday's lawn bowls League programme of six matches. Craigengower "B," Kowloon B.G.C., Recreio-seniors and Football Club "A" all recorded "doubles" over their opponents. Sevens were recorded by A. Webster, who won 24-20, and H. V. Pearse, who got home by one after leading 25-15 at the 18th end. Sixes were mere nothings to C. S. Rosset, who had two and a five in his 17-shot win over H. E. Strange, while C. B. Robertson had one to win by 14 shots.

A two on the last end saw W. W. Hirst share the spoils with Jack Rodger, while a single at the last end resulted in J. Polson breaking even with S. Randle.

Three new skips entered the lists yesterday, A. A. Remedios and C. Summons winning by narrow margins and H. E. Strange being badly trounced. R. Duncan again took the lead in the senior skips' table, but "Bill" Holland's, with a game in hand, is only one point behind.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AT A GLANCE

First Division	
CIVIL SERVICE (54) 45	CRAIGENGOWER "B" (67) 59
TAIKOO DOCK (—) 49	KOWLOON B.G.C. (—) 63
KOWLOON DOCK (54) 51	CLUB DE RECREIO (53) 64
Second Division	
FOOTBALL CLUB "A" (76) 64	KOWLOON C.C. (53) 47
YACHT CLUB (57) 54	H. K. ELECTRIC (60) 62
CRAIGENGOWER (49) 64	CLUB DE RECREIO (58) 62

Figures in brackets denote result of corresponding game last season.

Lawn Bowls League Tables To Date

FIRST DIVISION		P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Up	Dn.	Pts.
Craigengower "A"	17	16	1	123	860	243	0	32	0
Club de Recreio	17	12	5	1081	922	159	0	24	0
Kowloon B. G. C.	18	11	7	1122	1021	101	0	22	0
Craigengower "B"	16	9	7	943	948	0	5	18	0
Police R. C.	17	8	9	976	1022	0	46	16	0
Kowloon C. C.	18	8	10	1035	1058	0	23	16	0
Kowloon Dock	17	7	10	985	1013	0	28	14	0
Civil Service	16	6	10	911	973	0	62	12	0
India R. C.	18	5	13	985	1132	0	147	10	0
Taikoo Dock	16	3	13	825	1017	0	192	6	0
Totals	170	85	85	9986	9986	503	503	170	0

SECOND DIVISION		P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Up	Dn.	Pts.
Kowloon B. G. C.	18	16	2	0	1265	869	396	0	32	0
Club de Recreio	17	13	4	0	1152	855	297	0	26	0
H.K.F.C. "A"	18	11	7	0	1087	1062	25	0	22	0
Craigengower	18	9	8	1	1010	1047	0	37	19	0
Police R. C.	17	8	9	0	982	1030	0	48	16	0
Kowloon C. C.	18	8	10	0	890	1135	0	145	16	0
H.K.F.C. "B"	18	7	11	0	982	1136	0	154	14	0
H. K. Electric	18	5	12	1	995	1103	0	110	11	0
Yacht Club	17	5	12	0	900	993	0	193	10	0
Civil Service	15	4	11	0	859	890	0	31	8	0
Totals	174	86	86	2	10222	10222	718	718	174	0

K.B.G.C. WELL UP

At Taikoo the Kowloon Bowling Green Club beat Taikoo R.C. by 14 shots.

K.B.G.C.		K.B.G.C.	
W. Brown	J. Watson	W. Brown	J. Watson
W. Melrose	H. S. Stoneham	W. Melrose	H. S. Stoneham
N. Drummond	G. G. S. Thompson	N. Drummond	G. G. S. Thompson

J. Polson (skip) 20	S. Randle (skip) 20
F. Pattinson	S. Bright
S. J. Pollock	B. S. Rogers
W. Cunningham	W. McFarlane
J. C. Chalmers (skip) 13	A. Holland (skip) 13
D. Bone	W. L. Walker
T. Grimes	E. W. Lines
R. Keown	J. C. Gill
R. Wallace (skip) 16	R. Duncan (skip) 19
Totals	49

RECREIO UP ALL ROUND

At Hung Hom, Club de Recreio beat Kowloon Dock Recreation Club by 13 shots.

Recreio		K.D.R.C.	
D. C. Alves	A. E. Pearson	D. C. Alves	A. E. Pearson
G. M. P. Remedios	C. Stewart	G. M. P. Remedios	C. Stewart
J. J. Basto	R. Lapsley	J. J. Basto	R. Lapsley
F. X. da Silva (skip) 25	F. Cullen (skip) 19	F. X. da Silva	F. Cullen
L. F. Xavier	B. Parks	L. F. Xavier	B. Parks
E. M. Remedios	M. Ferguson	E. M. Remedios	M. Ferguson
C. E. Marques	V. Ramsay	C. E. Marques	V. Ramsay
A. A. Remedios (skip) 19	G. C. Cooper (skip) 16	A. A. Remedios	G. C. Cooper
J. F. Ribeiro	J. Revie	J. F. Ribeiro	J. Revie
C. A. Lopes	T. Coleman	C. A. Lopes	T. Coleman
J. Noronha	R. Morrison	J. Noronha	R. Morrison
C. G. Silva (skip) 20	J. Fraser (skip) 19	C. G. Silva	J. Fraser
Totals	64	Totals	61

TITLE FOR JACK RODGER

Jack Rodger, skipper of the Hong Kong Hockey Club, won the Hong Kong Football Club's lawn bowls singles championship last Thursday when he beat E. J. Edwards, another skip, by 21 shots to 8 in the final.

ROSSELET'S BIG WIN

At Happy Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club "B" beat Civil Service Cricket Club by 14 shots.

C.S.C.C.		C.S.C.C.	
A. Steven	A. Gomes	A. Steven	A. Gomes
W. J. Burling	F. K. Modi	W. J. Burling	F. K. Modi
C. Strange	K. M. Omar	C. Strange	K. M. Omar
A. W. Grimmitt	C. Summons (skip) 17	A. W. Grimmitt	C. Summons
W. Cullips	A. J. Coelho	W. Cullips	A. J. Coelho
M. N. Rakusen	W. Phelps	M. N. Rakusen	W. Phelps
H. Westlake, Sr.	B. W. Whitman	H. Westlake, Sr.	B. W. Whitman
J. Hollidge (skip) 16	J. Cavanagh (skip) 12	J. Hollidge	J. Cavanagh
J. R. Pengelly	J. R. Soares	J. R. Pengelly	J. R. Soares
J. Gellatly	V. N. Atienza	J. Gellatly	V. N. Atienza
L. A. Collyer	A. M. Omar	L. A. Collyer	A. M. Omar
H. E. Strange (skip) 12	C. S. Rosset (skip) 29	H. E. Strange	C. S. Rosset
Totals	45	Totals	59

Other Sport will be found on Pages 5, 13, 14, 16, 19 and 22.



FOOTBALLERS' WIN

At Happy Valley, Hong Kong Football Club "A" beat Kowloon Cricket Club by 17 shots.

H.K.F.C. "A"		H.K.F.C. "A"	
F. P. Anslow	A. J. Kew	F. P. Anslow	A. J. Kew
E. J. Edwards	A. Nisam	E. J. Edwards	A. Nisam
V. Walker	L. E. Lammert	V. Walker	L. E. Lammert
J. Russell (skip) 18	L. Jack (skip) 15	J. Russell	L. Jack
G. Stephens	C. Fletcher	G. Stephens	C. Fletcher
W. Kershaw	J. S. Dinan	W. Kershaw	J. S. Dinan
F. H. W. Haynes	R. P. Phillips	F. H. W. Haynes	R. P. Phillips
J. Rodger (skip) 19	W. W. Hirst (skip) 19	J. Rodger	W. W. Hirst
G. S. Graver	S. Houghton	G. S. Graver	S. Houghton
T. R. Rowell	J. Canning	T. R. Rowell	J. Canning
J. Beach	V. C. Labrum	J. Beach	V. C. Labrum
C. B. Robertson	T. W. Carr (skip) 13	C. B. Robertson	T. W. Carr
Totals	64	Totals	47

LOSE AT VALLEY



Mrs. Reid, wife of Col. Reid, who is Officer Commanding the Royal Engineers, distributing the prizes on the first day of the Hong Kong Area Aquatic Championships. The swimmer holding the trophy is L/Cpl. Pearse, the brilliant Sapper all-rounder. ("Herald" photo).

Hong Kong Lose 30-9

Shanghai Retain The Prentice Cup

Shanghai, Yesterday. Shanghai beat Hong Kong in the second interport lawn bowls match by 30 shots to 9 yesterday and have thus won the "rubber" and the Prentice Cup.

Hong Kong was represented by A. E. Coates, H. A. Alves, J. F. MacGowan and A. Hyde-Lay (skip).

The results of the matches of the tour are as follows:—

beat Shanghai Recreation Club, 24-21.
lost to Club Lusitano, 11-24.
lost First Interport, 15-18.
lost to Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club, 23-25.
lost Second Interport, 9-30.

Shanghai now have 11 wins to their credit against Hong Kong's eight. Eight of Shanghai's wins

were scored at home and three in Hong Kong. Hong Kong have won six home games and two away encounters.

Prior to 1930, the Interport was decided on one match only, but in 1930, when the contest was held in Shanghai, the home team won the rubber by a 2-1 margin. Results since then have been as follows:—

1931 Shanghai 2-1, at Hong Kong
1932 Hong Kong, 3-0, at Shanghai
1933 Hong Kong, 2-1, at Hong Kong
1934 Shanghai, 2-0, at Shanghai
1935 Shanghai, 2-1, at Hong Kong
1936 Shanghai, 2-0, at Shanghai (incomplete).

Remaining Fixtures

The following are the remaining matches of the tour:—
To-day: Hongkong G. C., Hongkong Park.
To-morrow: Third Interport, Recreation Ground.
Tuesday: Junior Golf Club, Golf Club green.

The Interport dinner will be held to-morrow night and the Colony team will return on or about next Friday.

OPEN RINKS BOWLS FINAL TO-DAY

Craigengower & I.R.C. Fours To Clash

CLOSE GAME EXPECTED

A good lawn bowls match should be witnessed on the Hong Kong Football Club green this afternoon at 3.30 p.m., when the Final of the Colony Rinks Championship, between A. R. Dallah's I.R.C. four (D. M. Khan, A. K. Minu and M. Y. Adal) and R. F. da Luz's Craigengower quartette (J. S. Landolt, A. S. Gomes and W. V. Field), will be decided.

Both rinks have experienced rough passages to the final and this afternoon's encounter should be brimful of excitement, with the Craigengower four having the edge over their opponents.

The following shows how they reached the final:—

A. R. Dallah's Rink:—
beat S. A. Bright, F. A. Cheesman, J. C. Gill and J. E. Henson (skip) 20-10.

beat F. A. Machado, C. M. Alves, P. A. Yvanovich and H. F. Rozario (skip) 21-18.

beat E. C. Fincher, F. Goodwin, R. G. Craig and A. Hyde-Lay (skip) 21-18.

beat K. M. Omar, A. A. Razack, A. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip) 19-10.

R. F. da Luz's Rink:—
beat J. Hoosen, A. H. Rumjahn, A. M. Wahab and A. O. Madar (skip) 22-16.

beat E. W. Lines, G. E. F. Thompson, H. H. Rose and J. McKelvie (skip) 20-10.

beat J. Watson, R. Hall, J. Fraser and W. Macfarlane (skip) 20-17.

beat L. E. Xavier, L. J. Silva, F. V. V. Ribeiro and H. A. Alves (skip) 31-7.

ALLEN ON THE TEST TEAM'S CHANCES

"We Will Do Better Than Most People Think"

London, Yesterday. "As I am an optimist, I think we shall do much better than most people think," declared G. O. "Gubby" Allen, the England Test cricket captain, when interviewed as the M.C.C. team left Waterloo Station for Southampton, where they embarked to-day on the s.s. Orion for Australia.

The large crowd of cricket enthusiasts who gathered to see the team off gave a very warm cheer for Hedley Verity, the Yorkshire all-rounder, who had recovered sufficiently from an attack of influenza to accompany the team.

There were scenes of animation and optimism as the train steamed out of the station, placards, inscribed "Good luck to our Test team" being unfurled. The president of the M.C.C., Lord Somers, Mr. P. F. ("Plum") Warner, chairman of the Selection Committee, and Sir Stanley Jackson were among the well-wishers at the station.—Router.

London: G. O. Allen declared at a complimentary dinner to the players last night that he had complete faith in the team.—British Wireless Service.

(Test details will be found on Page 14.)

ELECTRICIANS WIN

At North Point, Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club beat Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club by 8 shots.

R.H.K.Y.C.		Electric	
W. Hansen	J. Smith	W. Hansen	J. Smith
A. Drummond	T. P. Sanderson	A. Drummond	T. P. Sanderson
G. E. Costello	W. Stoker	G. E. Costello	W. Stoker
B. E. Maughan (skip) 19	W.H.B. Maskett (skip) 10	B. E. Maughan	W.H.B. Maskett
A. Murdoch	V. Sorby	A. Murdoch	V. Sorby
P. S. Cassidy	J. L. King	P. S. Cassidy	J. L. King
E. S. Abraham	J. K. Sloan	E. S. Abraham	J. K. Sloan
A. Stevenson (skip) 15	A. F. Paul (skip) 28	A. Stevenson	A. F. Paul
W. A. Cornell	J. F. Barron	W. A. Cornell	J. F. Barron
F. H. King	C. G. S. Thompson	F. H. King	C. G. S. Thompson
A. D. Morrison	S. Deacon	A. D. Morrison	S. Deacon
K. S. Robertson	A. Webster (skip) 24	K. S. Robertson	A. Webster
Totals	54	Totals	62

RECREIO DEFEATED

At Happy Valley, Craigengower Cricket Club beat Club de Recreio by 2 shots.

C.C.C.		Recreio	
N. P. Karanjia	C. M. Xavier	N. P. Karanjia	C. M. Xavier
E. McNay	C. M. Silva	E. McNay	C. M. Silva
W. J. Bagley	P. A. Yvanovich	W. J. Bagley	P. A. Yvanovich
W. Ward (skip) 20	F. X. Soares (skip) 15	W. Ward	F. X. Soares
H. Tollervey	J. Luz	H. Tollervey	J. Luz
F. X. Delgado	O. P. Remedios	F. X. Delgado	O. P. Remedios
J. Fitzgerald	C. M. S. Alves	J. Fitzgerald	C. M. S. Alves
A. E. S. Alves (skip) 19	L. J. Silva (skip) 28	A. E. S. Alves	L. J. Silva
J. Pau	F. Xavier	J. Pau	F. Xavier
W. Penny	C. Roza-Pereira	W. Penny	C. Roza-Pereira
Y. Abbas	A. Barros	Y. Abbas	A. Barros
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PERRY TO MEET BUDGE

KAY STAMMERS BEATEN BY WIMBLEDON CHAMPION

Forest Hills, Yesterday.
The semi-finals in the American National Tennis Championships were decided yesterday, and though the only British hope in the ladies' section, Miss Kay Stammers, was eliminated, Britain, represented by the redoubtable Fred Perry, is favoured to win the men's title.

SURREY BOWLER'S FEAT

Gover's 200 Wickets In Season

HAMMOND AND LARWOOD TOP AVERAGES

London, Yesterday.
Gover, the Surrey fast bowler, in capturing his last wicket in first class cricket this season, brought his total to 200 with an average of 17.73 runs per wicket. He is the third fast bowler to accomplish this feat since 1897, when Tom Richardson, also of Surrey, collected 273. Macdonald, of Lancashire, took 295 wickets in 1925.

The leaders in the batting averages for the season are: Hammond (Gloucester) 56.94; Edrich (Middlesex) 55.00; Fishlock (Surrey) 53.22; Hendren (Middlesex) 47.39; A. Melville (Sussex) 46.76; Leyland (Yorkshire) 45.89.

The bowling averages were headed by Larwood (Notts) 12.97 (191 wickets); Verity (Yorkshire) 13.18 (216 wickets); Copson (Derby) 13.34 (160 wickets); Bowes (Yorkshire) 13.40 (123 wickets); Smith (Middlesex) 15.08 (133 wickets).—Reuter.

MUSHTAQ ALI SCORES 140

But Scarborough Match Drawn

London, Yesterday.
The match between All-India and Mr. H. D. G. Leveson-Gower's XI at Scarborough ended in a draw, the feature being a three-figure innings by Mushtaq Ali, who has been one of the tourists' most consistent batsmen. Mr. Leveson-Gower's XI: 225 (Sutcliffe 94) and 329. All-India: 333 (Mushtaq Ali 140) and 146 for 5.—Reuter.

VERITY RECOVERS

Will Leave With Allen's Team

London, Yesterday.
Hedley Verity, the Yorkshire slow bowler, has been taken ill with influenza, and will probably be unable to join the M.C.C. team starting for Australia to-day.

His doctor has advised him not to travel, but he has made good progress during the past 24 hours and he may either fly to Southampton or else travel overland next week and join the boat at Toulon. Later: Verity has recovered sufficiently to sail with the team to-day.—Reuter.

[Details of the team will be found on page 14.]

The results of yesterday's matches were:—

MEN'S SINGLES
Donald Budge beat Frankie Parker, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.
Fred Perry beat "Bitty" Grant, 6-4, 3-6, 7-5, 6-2.

WOMEN'S SINGLES
Miss Alice Marble beat Miss Helen Pedersen, 6-1, 6-1.
Miss Helen Jacobs (holder) beat Miss Kay Stammers, 6-4, 6-3.—Reuter.

The men's final between Perry and Budge should prove very interesting. Budge entered the Wimbledon semi-finals this year, only to be beaten by Perry, and is regarded as a coming world champion, while Perry, the Wimbledon champion, is out for his third U.S. title—he won in 1933 and 1934 and lost to Wilmer Allison in the Final last year after a bad fall in the second set. Budge beat Perry at Eastbourne in four sets in a friendly encounter prior to the Challenge Round of the Davis Cup.

In view of the defeat of Miss Kay Stammers, it is interesting to recall the fact that she beat the U.S. title holder in the Wightman Cup series at Wimbledon this year and that she also beat Helen Jacobs in the same series at Forest Hills last year.

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS

Cardinals Held By Dodgers

YANKEES TROUNCE TIGERS

New York, Yesterday.
The following were the results of the major League Baseball matches played yesterday:—
National League.

	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	10	13	2
Boston	3	11	3
St. Louis	12	16	1
Brooklyn	8	17	4
St. Louis	4	9	1
Brooklyn	3	11	1
Jordan hit a homer.			

Chicago	1	4	0
New York	5	2	1
Cincinnati	6	10	0
Riggs hit a homer.			
Philadelphia	9	12	1
Dolph Camilli hit a homer.			
American League			
Philadelphia	2	6	1
Chicago	17	26	0
M. Hayes and Stratton hit homers.			
New York	14	15	1
Selkirk and Lou Gehrig hit homers.			
Detroit	4	11	0

Washington	7	11	1
Cleveland	2	6	1
Averill hit a homer.			

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Coming Week's Soccer Fixtures

The following are the coming week's Home football fixtures:

TO-MORROW

First Division

Stoke v. Grimsby

Second Division

Aston Villa v. Bradford C.

Barnsley v. Norwich

Blackpool v. Bury

Bradford v. Newcastle

Burnley v. Plymouth

Coventry v. Fulham

Sheffield U. v. West Ham

Tottenham v. Leicester

Third Division (South)

Cardiff v. Bristol C.

Third Division (North)

Lincoln v. Stockport

Oldham v. Port Vale

TUESDAY

Third Division (North)

Rochdale v. Southport

WEDNESDAY

First Division

Chelsea v. Liverpool

Manchester C. v. Birmingham

Portsmouth v. Leeds

Third Division (North)

Chester v. Tranmere

Crewe v. Halifax

N. Brighton v. Wrexham

THURSDAY

First Division

Brentford v. Charlton

Wednesday v. Huddersfield

Third Division (South)

Clapton v. Brighton

Queen's P.R. v. Millwall

SATURDAY

First Division

Charlton v. Birmingham

Chelsea v. W. Bromwich

Derby v. Preston

Everton v. Liverpool

Grimsby v. Leeds

Huddersfield v. Bolton

Manchester U. v. Wednesday

Portsmouth v. Manchester C.

Stoke v. Middlesbrough

Sunderland v. Brentford

Wolves v. Arsenal

Second Division

Aston Villa v. Fulham

Blackburn v. Norwich

Blackpool v. Newcastle



LAWSON LITTLE LEADING

New Golf Record By Paul Runyan

Toronto, Yesterday.
In the Canadian Open Golf Championship, Paul Runyan, of White Springs, the 1934 American professional champion, shattered the St. Andrew's course record in the second round with a score of 66, which is five under par. His aggregate score was 137.

Lawson Little, the former British and American amateur champion but who has since turned professional, is, however, leading the field with scores of 67 and 66 to aggregate 133.

Runyan included five birdies in his score, the remaining holes being done in par.—Reuter.
Last year Gene Kunes (U.S.) won the title with a record-breaking score of 280.



Selections For Macau

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MERRY DOER
GOLD RESERVE
EASTLIGHT
Outsider.—Brown Bee

Race No. 3:—
VALLEY VIEW
BURGOMASTER
SOLDIER OF ITALY
Outsider.—Judea

Race No. 4:—
SHANGHAI 4
LONELY HEART
CHOCOLATE
Outsider.—Wentworth

Race No. 5:—
SOLDIER OF CHINA
GREAT HALL
HARVEST VIEW
Outsider.—Monoplane

Race No. 6:—
COURSEUR BLEU
ROTHESAY BAY
VICTORY LIFE
Outsider.—Hogmanay

Race No. 7:—
FLAMINGO
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On the left is seen 81-year-old Lo Hung, who has been with Ah King's Slipway for the greater part of his life. He is now enjoying a well-earned pension. The picture on the right shows a reproduction of what Mr. T. F. Kilkenny's yacht, which is being built at Ah King's, will look like when completed. It is understood that Mr. Kilkenny intends to go for a cruise in the Indian Ocean which will include deep sea fishing ("Herald" photo).

ROMANTIC RISE OF AH KING'S SLIPWAY

Many Changes Seen In 45 Years

(By A Special Correspondent)

STARTING business some 45 years ago in a modest way, with only one very small slipway and a few matcheds for the workshops, Ah King's Slipway has, thanks to the enterprise and far-sightedness of the late Mr. Ah King, developed into one of the biggest businesses of its kind in the Colony.

The slipway had its first home on the Praya in Wanchai — where the Oriental Theatre now stands — and as it was situated immediately next to the Corinthian Yacht Club, it was not unnatural that most of its business should have been concerned with the building and repairing of craft from this club.

As with the case of any other business that is handled shrewdly, the slipway went on from strength to strength, and while its early business was only concerned with the repairing of smaller craft, orders soon began to pour in for "bigger fellows" and in time Ah King's motorboats, house-boats and motor-launches became known all over the Colony for their sea-worthiness and reliability.

And all the time this shipyard was expanding, the man behind this business, the man responsible for its growth, remained modestly in the background, though no order was too small for him to give it his personal attention. He would treat an order for a 10-foot dinghy just as he would a pleasure yacht, and because of his unfailing courtesy and his strict adherence to the fact that his word was his bond, Ah King endeared himself to the thousands of people, European and Chinese alike, who came into contact with him.

His was a romantic life was Ah King's, and even when his hair had turned grey and the time had come for him to hand down his business to his son, Mr. Ah Hoi, the present owner-manager of the slipway, the grand old man could not remain idle. He would walk about the yard, putting in a word of encouragement here and there, day after day, even after he had announced his retirement from business, and it was a sad blow to

all who knew him when, on February 26, last, he passed away to be mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends.

In a conversation with Mr. Ah Hoi, the son of this pioneer Chinese yacht builder, I learned that they moved from their Wanchai home to their yard in Causeway Bay in 1921, and whereas they had only one slipway in the old place, the present yard boasts no less than seven.

Ah King's Slipway has turned out many a well-known vessel. The "Romance," in which Capt. Green and his family travelled to Vancouver last year, was built there, while the Governor's yacht, the Britannia, was also built there.

Numbered Flagship

In the old days, the slipway maintained a fleet of motor-boats and launches, amongst the better known ones being King I and London. These, however, have been disposed of and there now remains only two motor launches for the use of the slipway, the Falcon and the flagship, 611. When asked why the latter was given a number and not a name, Mr. Ah Hoi explained that the number represented June 6, the birthday of the late Mr. Ah King. Another house-boat is being built now and when completed will be named 226, which represents February 26, the day on which the founder of the slipway died.

I took a walk round the slipway and saw activity everywhere. In place of the rough and ready tools that shaped so many vessels in the far off days, are the most modern and up-to-date implements necessary to the shipbuilding trade.

Dreaming Of The Past

In one shady corner of the yard I came across Lo Hung, aged 81 years, smoking his pipe as he gazed towards the sea, where many boats and yachts were moored. He is no more actively engaged in the slipway and now dreams of the past.

Lo Hung had been a faithful servant and is now spending the rest of his days enjoying a well-deserved pension. Like so many of his type, he was strangely reluctant to speak of his trade, but after many questions had been fired at him he looked up and said, "Ah King, he b'long No. 1 man he b'long make No. 1 boat."

He probably voiced the sentiments of all those employed at the slipway. They all seemed so contented down there.



Yacht building is one of the specialised jobs done at Ah King's Slipway, Causeway Bay. The above picture shows one of the many vessels nearing completion at Ah King's ("Herald" photo).



Wise and Otherwise.

Fish, we are told, tends to give a man courage. The other day a meek little boarding-house diner asked for another sardine on his toast.

A gossip writer confesses that he never married because he has always wanted to have his own way in everything. Still, if he had got married he could still have gone on wanting it.

"Those who are taking up hiking for the first time should train," says an athlete. Or, of course, bus.

A millionaire fruit importer says he is a woman-hater. He wouldn't give a fig for a date with a peach.

"There is only one kind of woman who doesn't give a rap," asserts a novelist. We know — a suspicious wife walking into her husband's office.

A doctor says that one of his patients is so shy that he shakes like a leaf when in company. The hostess generally gets him to mix the cocktails.

"That's a cut above me," as point said when the ball soared over his head to the boundary.

"Youth has always called to youth," observes a writer. Usually over the telephone at the firm's expense.

A Kowloon man in a bridge contest dealt himself thirteen cards of one suit. Which, of course, was a good deal.

"Leave the breakfast grape-fruit in the refrigerator over a night," says a household hint. Then you can start the day with an invigorating cold shower.

True to type—The ex-parlourmaid who took up china collecting, but let it drop.

An Irish castle has a singing ghost. One of those haunting melodies.

There is usually no objection to rambles gathering together, so long as they don't gather anything else.

One of the things in favour of a shingly beach is that it's far easier to pick out of sandwiches.

The man who leaves his office of good intentions often has to arrive home full of good inventions.

A magistrate has ruled that a bullock has a right in the road. Motorists say this confirms what the bullock already seems to know.

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LOCAL RESIDENTS' VIEWS ON SLUMS PLAGUE MAY BREAK OUT AT ANY MOMENT

RAT POPULATION REPORTED NOT DECREASING

SLUM DWELLERS HERE TO-DAY GONE TO-MORROW

ALTHOUGH it is generally realised that the question of slum-clearing in Hong Kong is a subject that calls for very much time and a great deal of money, the residents of the Colony all appear to be in favour of the scheme, and some of them have been good enough to air their views on the matter.



Pretty Norma Millen, above, who was entangled in a crime web which was broken when her husband was executed in Boston, eloped last month to Armonk, New York, with Harold Heywood Clements, aged 24, a WPA musician of Boston.

One of the first people we called upon in this connection was the Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell, who informed us that he had taken a great deal of interest in the articles which have appeared in the last few issues of the *Sunday Herald*, adding with a smile that, in his opinion, the suggestions put forward by some of the correspondents did more credit to their hearts than their heads! Mr. Bell went on to say that it was a gigantic scheme and for this reason it was impossible to do anything about it in a hurry. It needed very considerable planning and a great deal of money, and unless something concrete was done, it was no use rushing into the matter blindly, for that would result in an even more complicated position than that now obtaining.

"It is a very big question," he said. "There is no doubt that something must be done. It is all very well for the good-hearted reformers to say let us pull down all the slums, but having done that where are you going to accommodate the people thus deprived of their houses?"

"It is not a thing which can be handled in an off-handed manner, otherwise the position will be worse. It is a question that has to be studied very thoroughly. I am entirely in agreement with the suggestion that something must be done. Something will be done, and I am sure the Government is very sympathetic regarding the matter."

"I hope the *Sunday Herald* will continue giving publicity to this matter. The idea is to keep the subject continually before the public and not let interest wane."

Medical Opinion

A very well-known local medical practitioner who, for obvious reasons, prefers to remain anonymous, expressed the following views on the matter:—

"Congestion in Hong Kong is due largely to the scarcity of flat lands, and the slum districts that are tolerated now are the direct result of the past when people seldom considered anything that concerned public health, especially in the boom years when everybody was so occupied with their businesses that they never considered public health at all."

"The only time that people think about public health is when we have a visitation by an epidemic and a visitation of plague is likely any time now—we have been able to keep the rat population stationary, but cannot reduce it at all."

"I have no hesitation in saying that the alarming number of deaths from tuberculosis weekly is directly due to the fact that there is so much overcrowding here, and unless and until we are rid of the slum areas the same position will always prevail."

Educating The Slum Mind

Mr. W. N. Thomas Tam, a member of the Urban Council, expressed the opinion that there is not the slightest doubt that, from a sanitary standpoint, we must do away with the slums in Hong Kong.

"In Hong Kong, however, the problem is rather a difficult one," he continued. "It is not the same as you would get in the East End of London, where the population is fairly stable."

"In Hong Kong those who live in the slum areas are largely those who come from the interior to get work and because of this the slum population here is essentially a migratory one."

"I have been thinking the matter over and I think the idea of slum clearing in Hong Kong is a very laudable one. I have not, however, been able to think of any practicable scheme, nor have I heard of any practicable suggestions in this direction."

"Overcrowding in Hong Kong is a deeper problem than mere poverty. Ignorance and profiteering play a large part in it, but the thing to do is to educate the slum mind to demand better living conditions, and once you have achieved that you will have gone a long way towards solving this problem."

Government Appointments

The following Government appointments, etc., are notified in the *Government Gazette*:—

Mr. Thomas Jackson Houston to be a Cadet Officer, on probation, with effect from August 19;

Mr. Kenneth Myer Arthur Barnett to be Administrative Assistant, Sanitary Department, with



Foreign photographers found Colonel Lindbergh difficult to picture, but this "shot" shows the "flying savant" as he entered the Carlsberg Institute of Biology at Copenhagen, Denmark, last month.

CORRESPONDENCE

KOWLOON HAS ITS SLUMS

Urge For Better Organisation

MAINLAND SHOULD NOT BE NEGLECTED

(To The Editor, "Sunday Herald")

Sir,—While your campaign about the horrible slums in Hong Kong has everything to commend it and deserves the solid support of everybody who has the true interests of the people of the Colony at heart, I hope you will not neglect the equally important question of the slums in Kowloon, where conditions are, if anything, worse than those on the island in certain districts.

One of the worst quarters of the town is the district surrounding Shanghai Street. Here are the same overcrowded tenements and the same insanitary conditions as are found in the bad parts of Hong Kong. Dirt and filth are everywhere to be seen.

A tour along the top end of Nathan Road, where it branches towards Castle Peak, will reveal the presence of numerous "villages" or settlements which are a continual source of danger—especially in view of the fact that they are so near the Shamshui Barracks. It is a fact that the pigs and the children in these villages sleep in the same room; that there are absolutely no sanitary arrangements whatsoever; that in the centre of one of the settlements on the right-hand side of the road there is a pig-pen which has absolutely no drained outlet, and is therefore a stinking quagmire at most times.

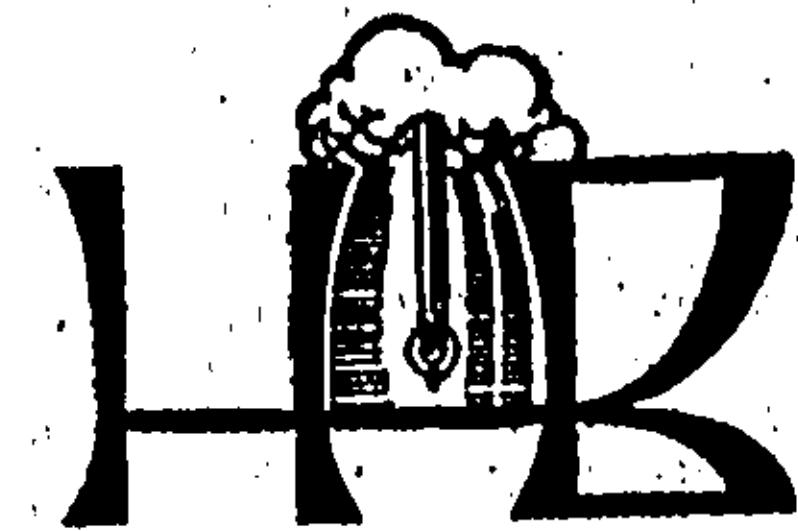
Another aspect of the sanitary question in Kowloon seems to me to need investigation. I understand that the whole of Kowloon is the province of only one scavenging Sanitary Inspector, who, in addition to his routine duties of daily examination of latrines, wash-houses, etc., is expected to deal with the hundred and one odd jobs that are the sanitary inspector's lot in the course of his average duties. It is impossible to assume that one man can cover all this ground and do it efficiently. There is a crying need for an increase in staff in the Sanitary Department of Kowloon.

I also commend to your notice the refuse dumps in Kowloon, especially those along the Kowloon Bay area. One of them is situated next door to a vermicelli factory, and this can hardly be counted a good thing.

In short, continue your campaign about the slums in Hong Kong, but do not neglect the equally distressing conditions which are to be found in Kowloon.

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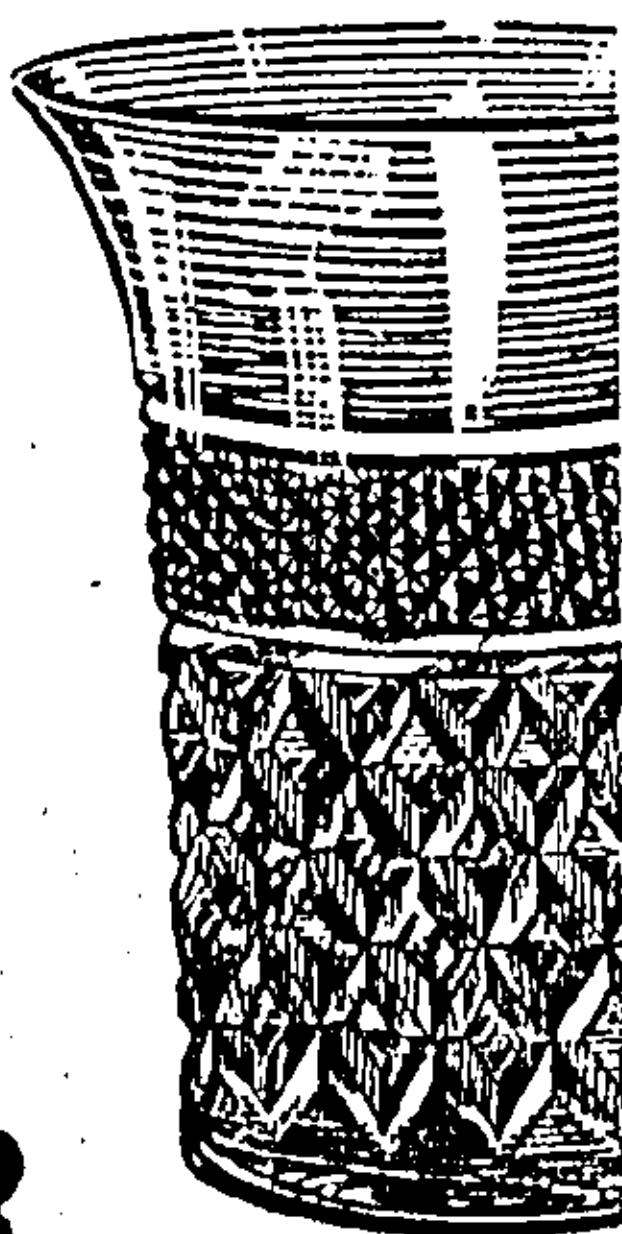
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Haifa, Yesterday.
A British Sergeant was killed in an encounter yesterday with a large band of Arabs at the foot of Mount Carmel. Five Arabs were killed.

The Arab High Committee is meeting the High Commissioner today and is expected to present a memorandum on the British announcement of policy in Palestine.—Reuter.

RAILWAYS IN CEYLON

London, yesterday.—The Colonial Office announces that, at the request of the Ceylon Government, the Colonial Secretary has appointed a Commission under the Chairmanship of Brigadier-General F. D. Hammond to enquire into and to report upon the financial position of, and the future policy in regard to, the Ceylon Government Railway. The Commission will sail for Ceylon from Marseilles on Friday next.—British Wireless Service.

TRANS-ATLANTIC FLIERS

London, yesterday.—The American airmen Rickman and Merrill, who were then at Speke Aerodrome, near Liverpool, announced yesterday afternoon that they would leave on their return flight to New York at dawn today unless the weather reports become less favourable. They were to carry a message of greetings from the Lord Mayor of Liverpool to the Mayor of New York.—British Wireless Service.

UNITED FRONT IN ENGLAND

London, yesterday.—The report of the General Council of the Trades Union Congress on Communism and against the proposals for an united front with the Communist Party, was approved at yesterday's session of the Congress at Plymouth, with only few dissentients.—British Wireless Service.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Mr. Justice J. J. Hayden, Acting Puisne Judge, and Mrs. Hayden left yesterday for a month's holiday in Japan, by the s.s. Sarpodon.

Among the departures by the s.s. General Pershing for Manila yesterday morning were Mr. G. W. Greene, partner in Messrs. Payne and Co., local New York brokers, and Mrs. Geo. F. Rowe, who is proceeding to Manila to take charge of Messrs. Payne and Co.'s organisation there.

It is stated in the Government Gazette that Mr. John William Franks, O.B.E., resumed duty as Superintendent of Prisons on September 4.

The name of Mr. Sven Erik Faber has been added to the list of those authorised to practise as architects in the Colony.

All members of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps have been invited to a cocktail party which is being given at Corps Headquarters on Wednesday, September 30, at 6 p.m. in honour of Lt.-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., during which a presentation will be made to him.

The Hong Kong Singers will broadcast from St. John's Cathedral this evening, from 9.15 to 9.45 p.m., when Z.B.W. listeners will be able to hear "Blest pair of Sirens" and "There is an old belief" (Parry), a relay which should prove exceedingly popular. Mr. J. Anderson Miller will conduct, and Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford is to accompany on the organ.

The Discussion Group of the Y.M.C.A. will meet in the West Lounge at 9 p.m. to-day.

A tea dance will be held to-day at 5 p.m. at the Repulse Bay Hotel.

A Tombola will be held at the Royal Signals' Sergeants' Mess, Kowloon, at 9 p.m. to-day.

There will be a Tombola at the China Fleet Club Theatre at 7.30 p.m. to-day.

A Whist Drive and Tombola will be held at the R.A. (Stn.) Sergeants' Mess, Gun Club Hill, at 8.30 p.m. to-day.

An auction of Crown Land will be held at the P.W.D. offices at 3 p.m. to-morrow.

There will be a dance at the Cheers Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

The Kowloon Union Church Committee will hold a meeting at 6.15 p.m. to-morrow.

The half-monthly meeting of the H. K. Football Referees' Association will be held at the Sports Club at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

H. E. the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, will officiate at the opening ceremony of the new Central British School at 3 p.m. to-morrow.

A Whist Drive will be held in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. at 9 p.m. to-morrow.

There will be a rehearsal of the Hong Kong Singers ("King Olaf") at the Union Church, Kennedy Road, on Tuesday next at 5.30 p.m.

A Whist Drive will be held at the Cheers Club at 9 p.m. on Tuesday.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada is due here from Manila at 8 a.m. on Wednesday next and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf. She will sail for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Japan ports and Honolulu, at noon on Friday next.

The quarterly general meeting of the local branch of the Royal Engineers Old Comrades' Association will be held in the Garrison Lecture Hall, Wellington Barracks, at 7.30 p.m. on Thursday next. All members are kindly requested to attend.

The Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Association is holding a Bridge and Mah Jongg Drive in aid of In-terport Funds on Friday, November 6, at 3.15 p.m. at the Gloucester Hotel. Tickets are \$1 each, including tea.

An order prohibiting the export of arms and war materials to Spain is published in the Government Gazette.

A notice concerning the revised allocation of pleasure grounds and bathing places is published in the Government Gazette.

An amendment to the Police Pensions Regulations, empowering the Governor-in-Council to grant pensions, gratuities, etc., is published in the Government Gazette.

The new A and B pensions regulations are published in the Government Gazette, authorising the retirement, in special cases, of officers before they reach their 50th year.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that the date of the meeting of the Licensing Board has been altered to Monday, November 9, at 3.30 p.m.

The R.M.A. Dorado left here yesterday at 4 a.m., carrying no passengers, but 460 kilos. of freight and 80.014 kilos. of mail.

Unclaimed radio telegrams for Kowlingham from Semarang and J. C. E. Scharnhorst Norddutch-loyd from Shanghai are lying at the Government Radio Office.

One case of enteric fever was reported to the local Health authorities during the 24 hours ended on Friday.

Schombing Loemban Teroean Mallial, aged 27, a tailor from Sumatra, was yesterday charged before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy with entering the Colony on or about April 26 this year without a valid passport and with breach of the Registration Ordinance. He was fined \$10, in default one week's imprisonment, and had an expulsion order made against him.

Four Chinese females residing at No. 111 Wongnelchong Road, were removed to the Government Civil Hospital on Friday, suffering from food poisoning, as a result of eating mushrooms.

Private Harrison, of the East Lancashire Regiment, was removed to the Military Hospital on Friday as a result of injuries received when he fell down some stairs.

A bar boy on the Kowloon Canton Railway was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday as a result of injuries received when he jumped off the 1 p.m. express while it was in Chinese territory.

Chan Ming, a four-year-old boy, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday as the result of a nasty accident. He was playing in bed with a piece of wood when he fell to the floor and the wood cut his mouth and injured his throat.

The late Mr. Jacob Manassoh Meyer, who died at 3 Oxley Rise, Singapore, on December 27, 1934, left local estate amounting to \$11,100. Letters of administration to the estate have been granted to Mr. H. K. Woo, solicitor, the law-ful attorney.

Calcutta reported 14 cases of cholera during the week ended September 5. Nagasaki reported eight cases of small-pox and Pnom-penh one during the same period.

Paris, Yesterday. While the strikers at Lille are expected to return to work soon, as a result of both sides accepting the arbitration of M. Salengro, there are still 15,000 heavy industry workers conducting a stay-in strike at Marseilles and 6,000 at Douai.

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STRIKES IN
FRANCE
GRAVE ANXIETY
SHOWNNewspapers Fear
"Coup de Force"

"SOVIETISING" OF FACTORIES

Paris, Yesterday.
Despite a few settlements the French strikes continue. As fast as one dispute is settled, another occurs elsewhere. The situation is causing anxiety to the conservative newspapers, several of which fear a "coup de force," whereby the Renault workers might try to sovietise the French motor factories.

Lille: The strike situation has been improved by the stay-in strikers in the textile industry in the Lille region evacuating the factories, following a three-hour meeting presided over by the Minister of Interior, M. Salengro.

21,000 STRIKE

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A portion of New York's Fulton Fish Market building, famous throughout America, collapsed when the piling in the East River gave way last month, causing one man to be seriously injured. This picture, taken from the river, shows the extent of the collapse. Only the fact that it took place shortly after midnight prevented injury and possible death to scores employed in the famous old market.

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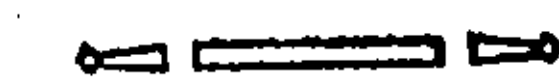


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Free Trade

IT is not quite easy to say why the protest made "purely on principle" by the Hon. E. Davidson in the Legislative Council against a small remission of excise on locally-brewed beer seemed like a forlorn echo of a distant voice crying in the wilderness. Within the recollection of any not too retentive a political memory he would have appeared to be talking sound sense in protest against a majority whose thinking was at best muddled and inconsistent, and at worst prompted by a wicked design to raise the cost of living for selfish ends. To the England of the middle of the last century the theoretical controversy was decided once for all in favour of cheapness to the consumer, and any financial favour extended to any section of industry or commerce looked very like political corruption. Nobody feels like that now, even if he has the same outlook.

We are told that "Free Trade is not a religion," but that is exactly what it was. Looked at from the point of view of the necessity of earning a living we note that every community consists of three main sections—the farmer, the manufacturer, and the trader. From the beginning of modern history control of the State was in the hands of the land-owning class, first working its own land, and afterwards drawing rents from those who did so. Their rents were protected, nominally in the interests of the tenant, by heavy duties on imported farm products, and the growing class of industrial workers were caught between the pincers of high prices for food, and "the iron law of wages," which was simply that wages gravitated to the lowest level that would be accepted.

The free trade campaign was a revolt of the men employed in the factories, who, accepting the "iron law" as inevitable, destroyed the high prices by abolishing all the duties on which they were based, and as these had become regarded as iniquitous they recked naught of destroying the whole agricultural section therewith. The "iron law" continued to work, and the ultimate beneficiaries were the industrial employers, who got the whole benefit of cheap labour and cheap imports.

The whole of the moral crusade, whether as preached by Disraeli championing the farmers, or by Gladstone, Bright and Cobden denouncing the iniquities of "the Hungry Forties," has no application to Hong Kong, just as it had no application in England to our third section of the active community, the traders. The trader makes his profit on the difference between the purchase price and the sale price of the goods he deals in. All that he can fairly claim is that he shall not be subject to any unfair handicap in competing with his rivals.

Where, then, must we look for Mr. Davidson's principles? Simply in the fear that any preference for one class of goods might be enlarged to such a handicap in favour of British goods as might be unfair to those who want to deal in American or Japanese goods. It does seem to be stretching an elastic principle to breaking point to find so dire a result in a remission of local excise to a struggling industry. The true analogy would be a reduction of assessment or water rate.

But there are principles and principles. The whole of the old foundations of thought have been washed away by the financial cataclysm of the post-war years. The old system was based on stable money. Not even the richest nations have refrained from playing tricks, such as devaluing their notes in terms of gold or dropping all obligation to pay redemption of notes in anything else but other notes. The only effective principles guiding policy to-day refer to goods and employment, not to money for its own sake, because all minor gains may at any time be wiped out by some arbitrary act of a foreign Government either in repudiating debts, or holding up payment—as Italy just now is withholding payment of commercial debts incurred before the Abyssinian war—or by altering the value of coinage. The new principle is therefore to adjust one's taxation system in favour of the man who wants to provide work for his fellow citizens, or for the man who wants to work himself. If he provides something that would otherwise have to be bought from abroad he is easing the strain on the exchange market, and thereby not only giving bread to the hungry but steadying the course of general trade for the benefit of others.

The only people that might make a murmur are the agents for competing imported articles, but that is a very sectional complaint and could easily be adjusted. We may not like the new economics as well as the old, but they seem to be in for a long innings, and the new principle is as good economics and much more human than the old.

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MR. P. E. BASKETT

OUR Personality this week is Mr. Paul Evelyn Baskett, Representative of the Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.

Mr. Baskett might not be one of the most "ancient" inhabitants of the Colony, but he is certainly one of the most popular. He is one of those rare persons on our depression-stricken island, who, when his name is mentioned, brings an appreciative and cheerful smile even to the most morose, depression-minded business man. Mr. Baskett, with his steady, soft smile, is fixed in our consciousness as part and parcel of the picture of the Colony, and it is hard to imagine that there ever was a time when he was not among us. In fact, Mr. Baskett has seen quite a bit of the world before coming to the Colony.

Born in Donhead, Wiltshire, in 1884, he received his early education in Lyme Regis; that was before the advent in Lyme Regis of A. S. Neill, who advocates the abolition of the ordinary school, so he was allowed to proceed. Later he went to Cranleigh, where he completed his education. Afterwards he felt the call of the "wide open spaces," and went to South Africa. He became games master of a Natal public school, but not finding enough action in this occupation, he took up gold-mining in Johannesburg. During the Zulu Rebellion in 1906 he joined the regiment of the Natal Carabineers. Ten years later he left South Africa and moved to Vancouver, Canada, where he spent three years.

During the Great War he served in the R.F.C. and the R.A.F. and came to Hong Kong in 1920, joining the firm of A. S. Watson and Co. He remained with Watson's until 1932, and after that he became one of the representatives of the Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.

Mr. Baskett is not only a "good sport" but he likes sport, although he has only taken an active part in local cricket. (As he explains: "I was too old when I came to the Colony") He is a great cricket enthusiast—some years ago he brought a team down from Sharnon that had an unbeaten record in the Colony! and umpired in the Triangular Interport Tournaments in 1920 and 1921. He has also been an umpire in all the important matches since 1932.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

September 12, 1878.—Chefoo Convention signed by Sir Thomas Wade and Li Hung-chung.

September 12, 1874.—Public meeting in Hong Kong to protest against blockade of the port by Chinese Customs cruisers.

September 14, 1887.—Chinese transport Way Lee driven ashore on Pescadores.

September 15, 1881.—New convention between Germany and China signed.

September 17, 1889.—Destruction by fire of the Temple of Heaven, Peking.

September 18, 1906.—Disastrous typhoon in Hong Kong.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

It is work which gives flavour to life. Mere existence without object and without effort is a poor thing. Idleness leads to languor, and languor to disgust.

—AMIEL.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS
REFORM PROPOSALS
SUBMITTEDAPPLICATION OF COVENANT IN
FUTURE CONSIDERED

The Secretariat of the League of Nations, in the last few days has received replies from Estonia, Hungary, Iraq, Peru and Switzerland on the application of the principles of the Covenant, in accordance with the Assembly's recommendation on July 4. The British Government has announced that it will submit its suggestions to the Assembly.

A radio-telegraphic communique from the Secretary-General of the League states that communications have been received from the Governments regarding the application of the principles of the Covenant, as follows:—

Colombia stated on August 31:—

Decentralisation in the working of the League by the establishment of regional or continental associations or agreements, as for example the European Union, the Association of American nations, etc. The regional or continental associations would deal with problems of an exclusively regional or continental nature, and the procedure applied by them will in the first instance be that provided for in Article XV, if there arises between the States-members of these associations a dispute likely to lead to a rupture. The associations would also be instructed to take steps to maintain peace in case of a local war or threat of war.

The reference in Article XXI of the Covenant to the Monroe Doctrine as a regional agreement would be replaced by recognition of the regional or continental agreements which would be established. The Council of the League would be composed of representatives of the members of the League, elected by the Assembly from

APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS

The economic and financial sanctions referred to in Article XVI would come into force automatically as soon as the competent organs of the League had determined the aggressor, and without the need for further decisions by the Governments. The military sanctions would be obligatory only for the States situated in the same continent as the aggressor. The votes to be taken under Articles X and XI of the Covenant would not include the votes of the aggressor States or of the State constituting a danger of war. Any doubts as to the interpretation of the Covenant would be settled at the request of any member of the League by the Permanent Court of International Justice.

Finland's Ideas

MAINTENANCE OF PEACE
PRIMARY OBJECT

Finland stated on August 31:—

The primary object of the League of Nations is to ensure the maintenance of peace by affording means of settling international disputes and preventing wars. Doubtless the Covenant could be so amended as to make the League's action to that end both more effective and more flexible.

The Finnish Government is of the opinion, however, that the present world situation, fraught as it is with elements of conflict, is not propitious to the introduction of fundamental changes in the Covenant, especially since the views of the States as to the outcome and desirability of such changes seem at present to differ so widely that any proposal involving substantial amendments would have little chance of securing the required majority.

The Finnish Government, therefore, thinks that an attempt should be made to improve the application of the principles of the League by (a) making the League more comprehensive, (b) interpreting the provisions of the Covenant in a practical manner which would render them easier to apply, (c) intensifying the League's own activities.

It is highly desirable to consider without delay the possibilities of securing the accession of States which are not yet members of the League and the best means of doing so, and secondly, to establish or intensify co-operation in many forms with such countries as are not yet prepared to join the League.

UNANIMITY PRINCIPLE

Steps should be taken on the principle of the Covenant so that disputes of the kind to which it refers can be settled at an early stage on the basis of that Article. To facilitate the application of that and certain other Articles it should be agreed that in cases where the Covenant requires unanimity the votes of the contending parties should not be counted, and also that at all events, as a general rule, a simple majority should suffice for a decision that the League shall intervene in a dispute or that the Permanent Court of International Justice shall be asked for an advisory opinion.

With respect to the application of Article XVI of the Covenant, reference may be made to the decision on the subject made at Geneva on July 1, 1926, by Denmark, The Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland.—British Wireless Service.

Overheard

Brain Trust

"Place any man behind a governmental desk and give him a few million dollars of government money to spend, and he is likely to develop the fixation that anyone who does not approve of the way he does his job is a public enemy."—Tyler Dennett, president of Williams College.

A Firm Hold

"We cannot hand out our colonies to the hungry nations."—Winston Churchill.

What Do They Mean?

"Honour and prestige are illusory words as used between nations."—A. A. Milne.

Gradual Growth

"History would seem to indicate that real progress is achieved only very slowly."—Bruce Barton.

A Great Novel

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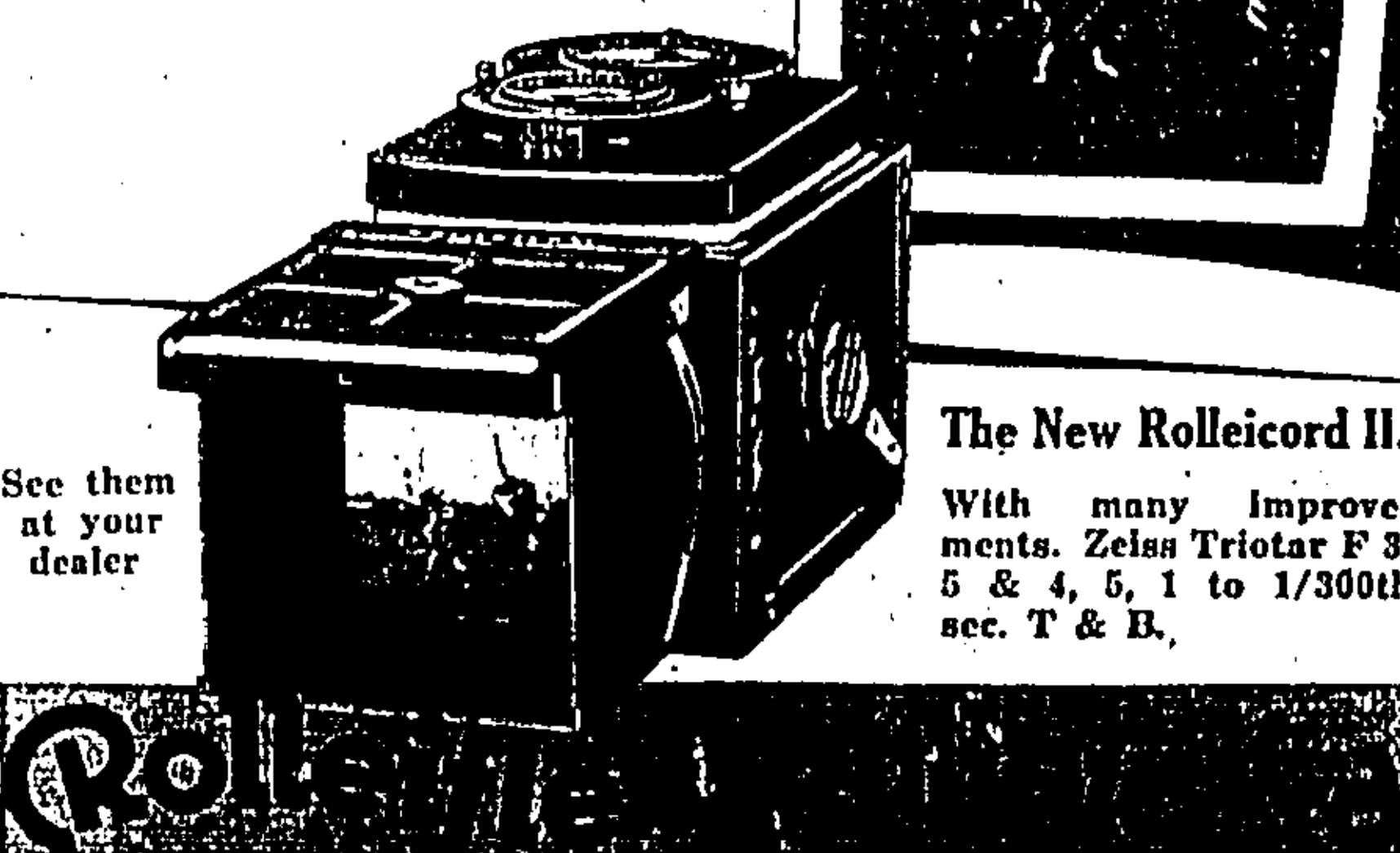
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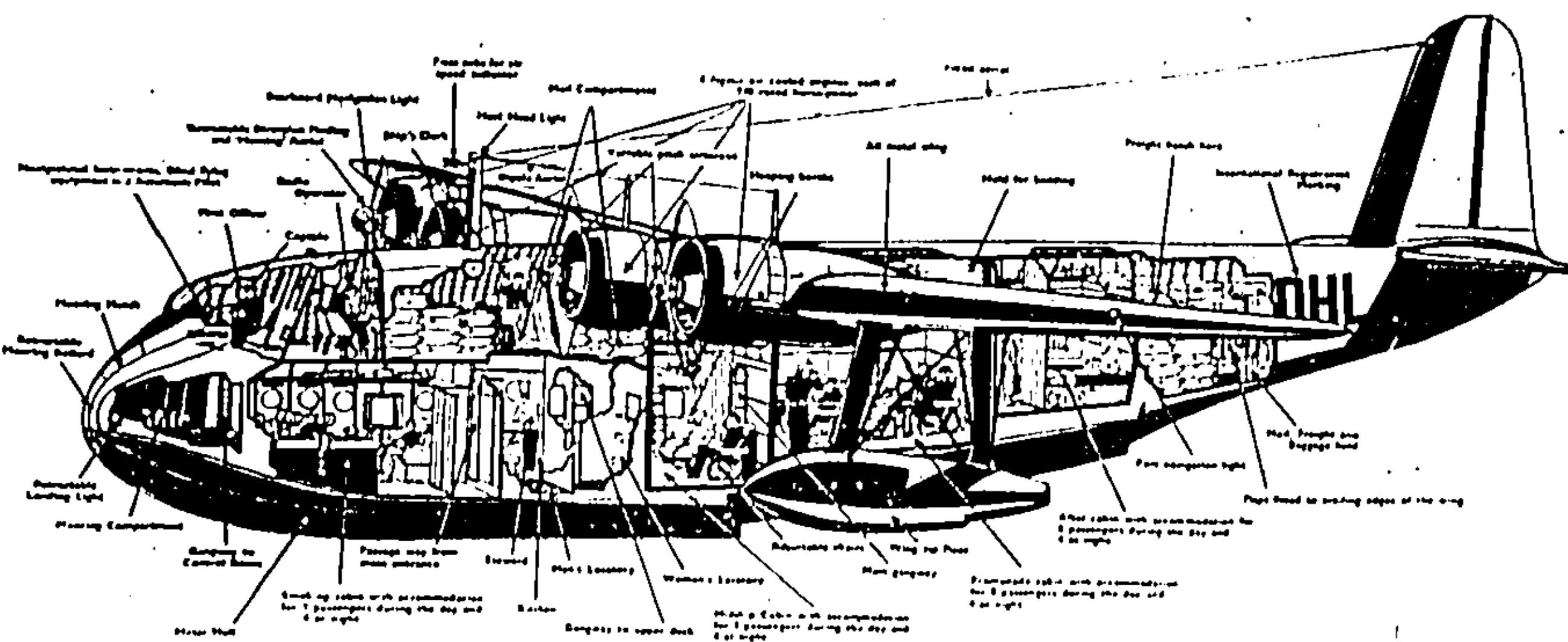


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Homage to Champagne

By TOM CLARKE

I HAVE never visited the wine country before. My personal interest in champagne has been a distant if admiring one. On festive occasions in Hong Kong or Kalamazoo, Melbourne or Monte Carlo, I have imagined that the great wine city responsible for the gladdening of our hearts must be a glittering dream-place where quietly holds perpetual Court. I have imagined Rheims as one big non-stop party.

It is nothing like that. It is a place of hard work and early to bed. The contrast between the place where they bottle dreams and some of the places up and down the world where those dreams come true is astonishing.

Sunshine And Life

True, there are sunshine and life and colour and movement in the spacious vineyards on the rolling hills and plains. There you see the peasant proprietors and their families, reinforced by the pickers, gathering the little purple bunches of champagne grapes. This gathering has to be done quickly in the few days when the grapes are at the perfection of ripeness.

You see, too, the roads to the city alive with light carts taking baskets of grapes to the presses. The carts have special soft springs to save the fair fruit from getting bruised.

In the subterranean galleries of Rheims, where the joy-making wine goes through the bottling and storage processes, all is dark and gloomy.

13 Miles Of Tunnels

One "cellar" I visited contained 13 miles of dim tunnels imprisoning millions of bottles.

The troglodytes working here grow to like their underground existence and actually protest against being transferred to surface work.

One evening we gathered at what I shall remember as the Royal Court of King Champagne.

You have seen the names of these aristocratic wine dynasties on bottles the world over. You have probably doubted the flesh-and-blood reality of these wine-land sovereigns. Yet here they are, sitting with you at the festive board.

Pop! Pop! There goes Bollinger himself releasing a cork. He is young, jovial, with a twinkle in his blue eyes.

Here, with their gracious ladies, are the various Heidsiecks, very courtly and speaking English perfectly. I believe they are the fourth generation.

Count Chandon obliges me with the correct pronunciation of Moet et Chandon; and Lanson explains to me why the best judges of good wine are the English.

Watch the elegance with which the Marquis de Polignac conducts the ceremony of drinking.

He inspects the glass and tells me that the slight mist on the outside indicates that the temperature is right.

He peers critically over the rim at the golden liquid to see if it merits his respect. He then raises the glass and passes it to and fro beneath his nostrils to catch the bouquet.

Attentive Taste

"That is a very attentive taste the marquis has," I remark to the "Kings" of Mumm, Krug, Goulet, and Perrier-Jouet who are at my side.

"Good champagne deserves it," is their reverent comment.

They told me the facts and figures:

Champagne was mentioned as far back as A.D. 530.

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Vines are six years old before they yield the right grapes.

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It is not champagne if the word "champagne" is not stamped on that part of the cork which is inside the neck of the bottle.

Champagne should be kept in cellars at a temperature of about 50 to 55 degrees Fahrenheit; and the bottles should lie horizontally.

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Facts and figures I may forget—but never the picture of the Champagne Kings paying homage to the golden wine, their servant.

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Above are pictures of guests who attended the Collings-Robson wedding at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, last Saturday. In the group on the left is Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Elliot, while the picture on the right shows Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Keown, together with Miss Keown. ("Herald" photos).

Mainly about WOMEN

A Woman's Wit

QUICK wit is not confined to any one country or to any specific people—or even to one sex. This little story shows that women can hold their own against even such trenchant wits as Bernard Shaw. On receiving a dinner invitation from a famous society woman, Shaw wired: "Don't you know my habit of never dining-out?" And to his utter consternation he received a typically Shavian reply: "Know nothing of your habits, but hope they are better than your manners!"

But wit is a game of give and take, and woman, queen of vanity as she is, very often has to take it. A woman who assumed a scornful and important air once sat for Sir William Orpen, who was possessed of a most devastating brand of wit. He painted the woman as he saw her, and, like all true artists, managed to weave her character into the picture. She hated that and protested that the picture failed to resemble her.

"In fact, Sir William," she said cuttingly, when handing him the cheque, "no one can say you are a Gainsborough."

"By no means, madam," he replied suavely; "unlike him, I do not confine myself to painting beautiful women only!"

"Old Kate" Passes

THOSE who know London well might remember Old Kate, the match-seller, at her famous "pitch" in Aldwych, just off the Strand and opposite the Gaiety Theatre. Old Kate, who died last month at the age of 70, in abject poverty, was once a very wealthy and brilliant woman. Even casual observers noticed "something different" about Old Kate. They remarked her dignity, her carefully powdered face, and her poise; and remarking this, they often wondered what her story might be.

Kate Luelle Foote—for that was her real name—was the daughter of an American Colonel, grand-daughter of a Commodore, sister of a former Governor of Porto Rico. During her stage career she was with



Mr. W. R. K. Collings and Miss Florence Muriel Robson caught by the camera following their wedding at St. Andrew's Church last Saturday. ("Herald" photo).



Mrs. Norrie (left) and Miss Cunningham were among the many guests who attended the Collings-Robson wedding at St. Andrew's Church last Saturday. ("Herald" photo).

Wilson Barrett and George Edwards. She understudied Marie Tempest, and used to play with Ellaline Terriss, Seymour Hicks and many others.

Except to one or two intimates, the secrets of her past were unknown; but they are secrets no longer. It was extravagance, world travel, and gambling which brought Old Kate to match-selling. At Monte Carlo alone, on her own admission, she lost £25,000.

She died worth exactly £2 in silver and 58 boxes of matches, which in a brief, pathetic note she willed to a man who had often helped her with a shilling or two.

The "Perfect" Nazi Woman

DESCRIBED by Herr Hitler as the "perfect Nazi woman," Frau Gertrud Scholtz-Klink was sent to London as a delegate to the Third International Conference on Social Work. Vivacious and young, but methodical in manner, she was evidently born with a flair for leadership. She is fair, and her face is devoid of powder or "make-up." When she addressed the conference she was dressed in a putty-coloured coat and skirt, with a school-girlish collar and tie. Her almost straight hair was braided casually round the back of her head. She spoke calmly and unemotionally, in a clear, almost hard voice on the "Organisation of Leisure in Germany."

A woman of little leisure herself (she runs about six separate State departments, devoted to the interests of women and children), she described in 15 minutes of rapid speech the method by which Germany had "solved the problem of the hard-working married woman with many children."

"The wife and mother," she said, "is sent for a holiday, either to be spent travelling or in a holiday centre, where she can recuperate. Meanwhile, her burden is taken over by voluntary workers, usually girl students, who perform her household tasks, sometimes sacrificing part of their own holiday for that purpose."

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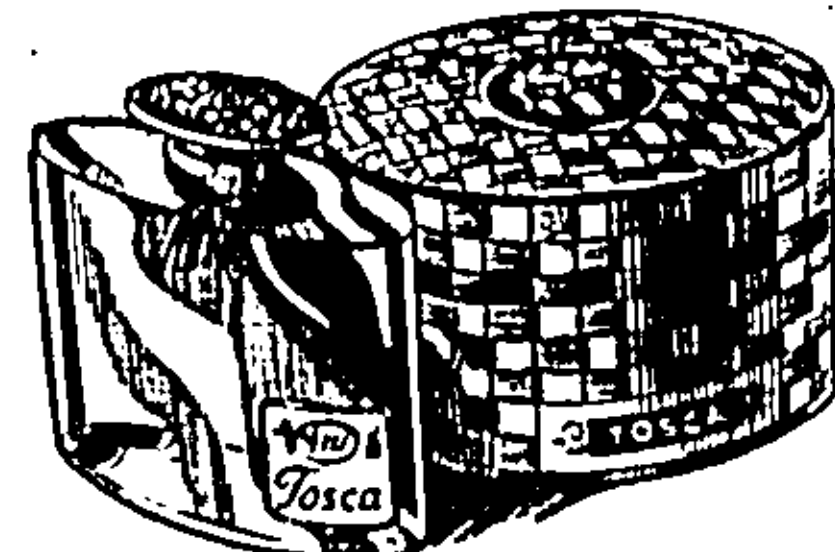
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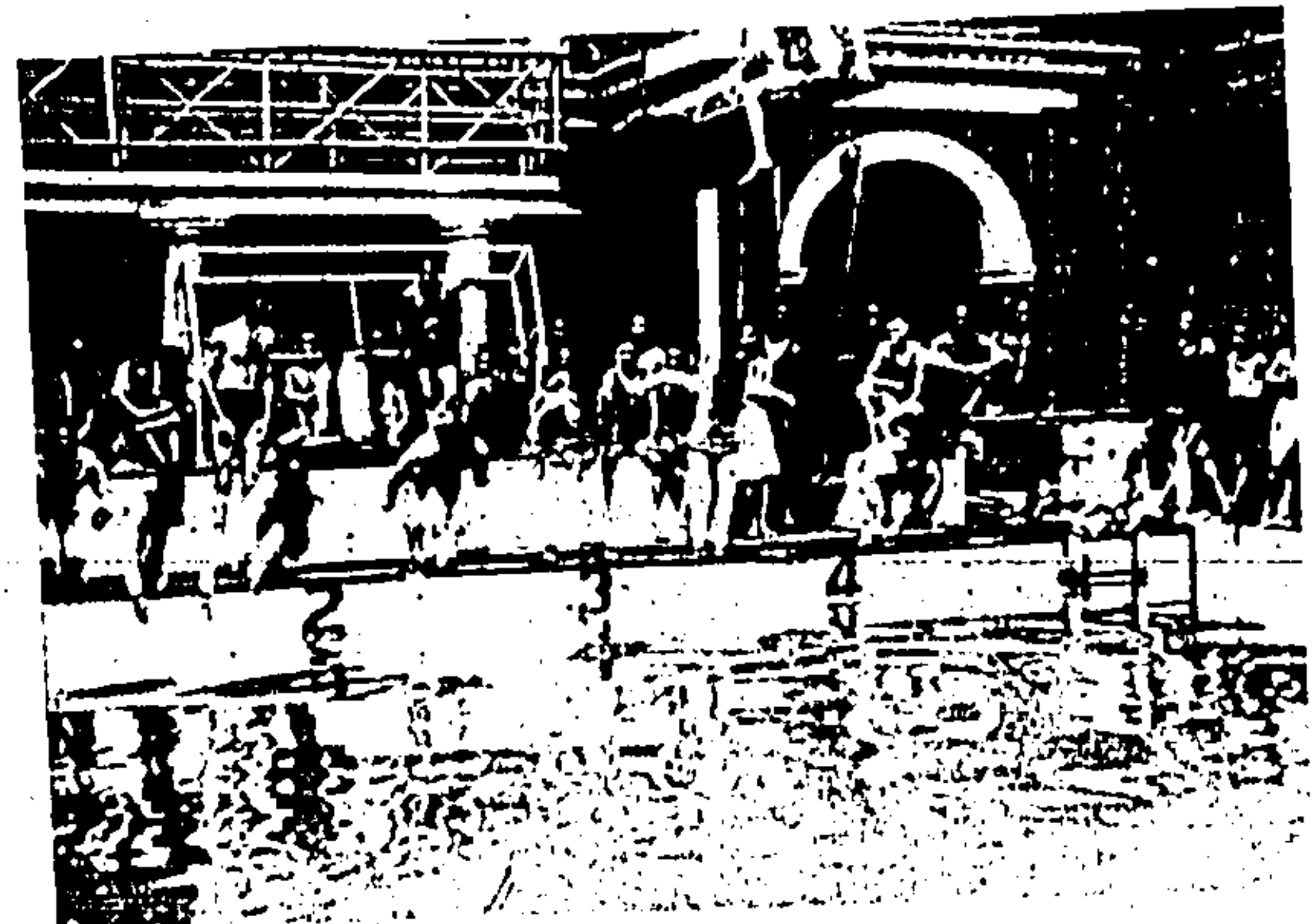


H.E. the General Officer Commanding, Major-General A. W. Batholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., presented colours to the St. Andrew's troop of Wolf Cubs recently. His Excellency is seen above arriving for the ceremony. ("Herald" photo).

(Right)—The start of the fully-clothed race for Chinese constables attached to the Water Police at last Tuesday's heats at the V.R.C. ("Herald" photo).



(Above)—A group photograph taken at the recent prize-giving ceremony of the Ling To Girls' College, held at the King's Theatre.



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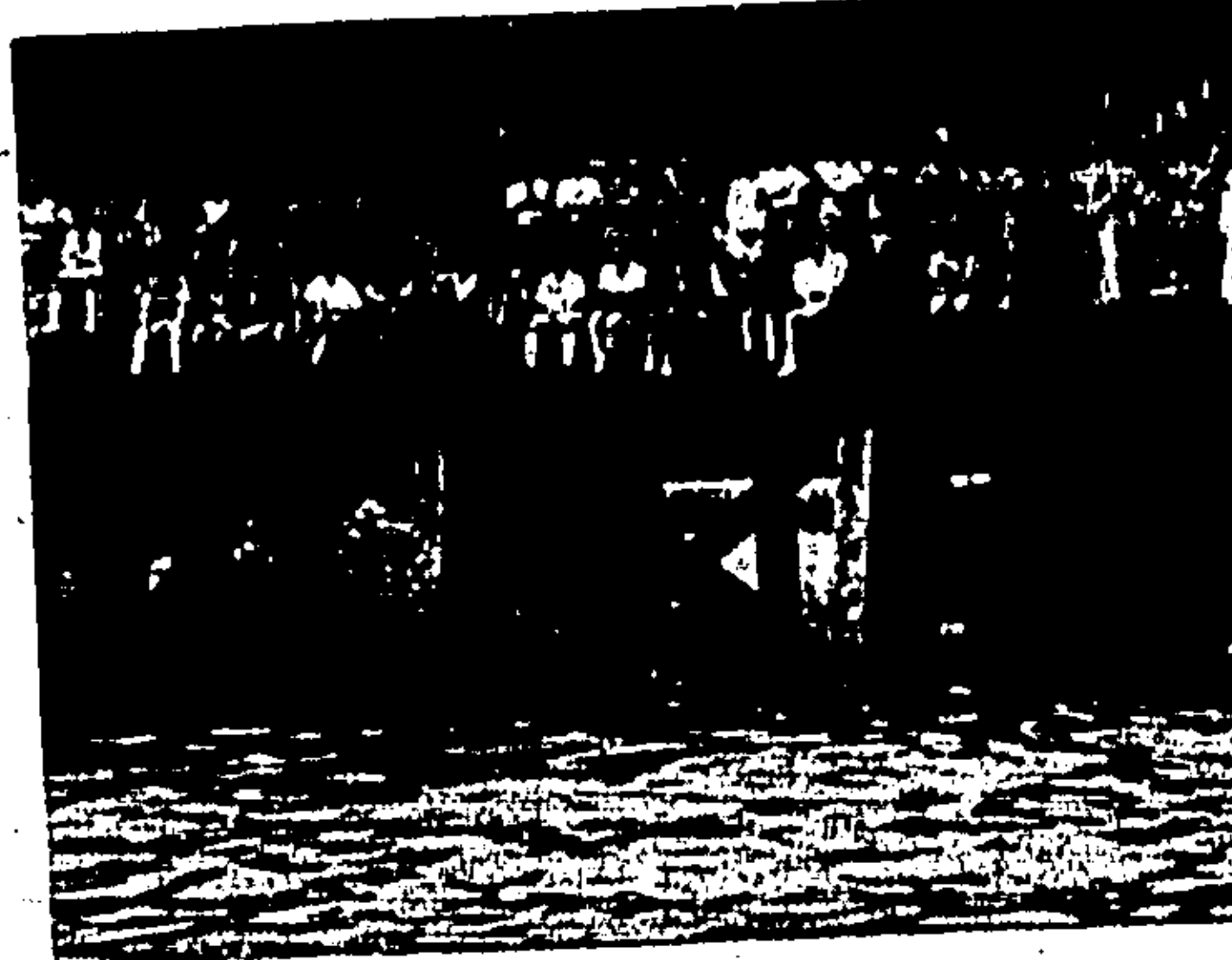
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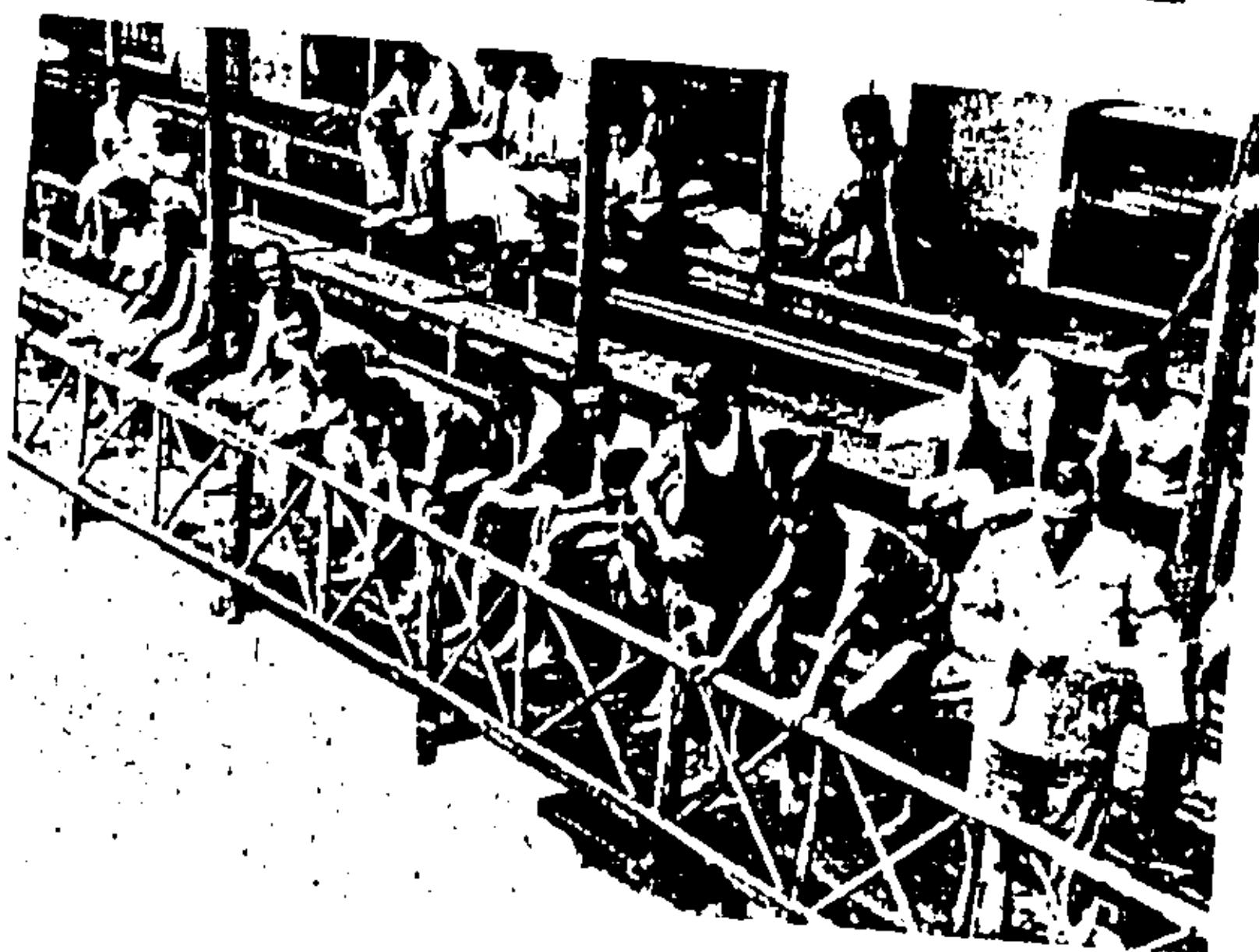
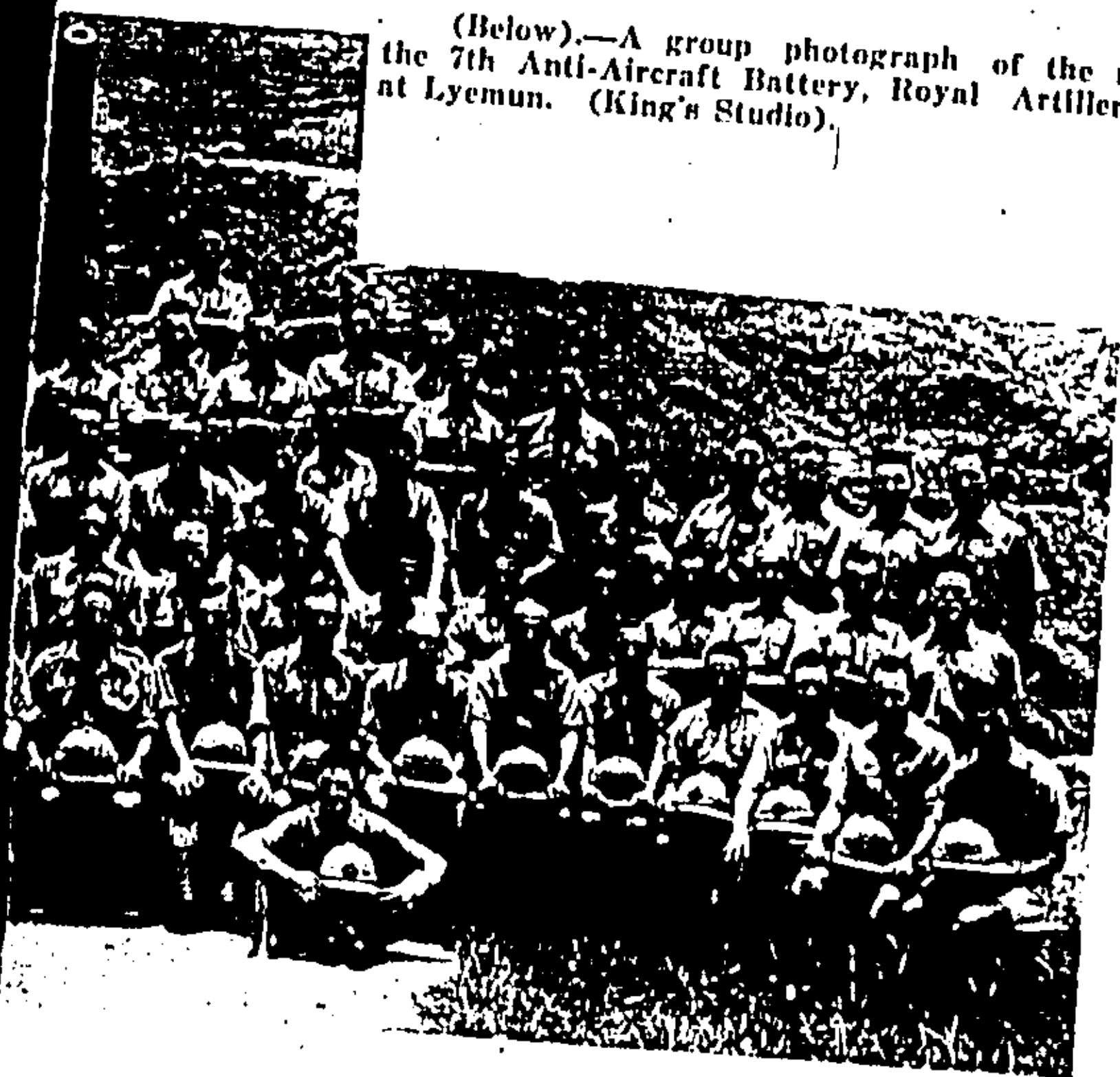
(Above)—A group photograph of the 1936 basketball team of St. Paul's College, with the Headmaster, Mr. E. G. Stewart, seated in the centre. (King's Studio).



(Right)—Spectators at the finish of the Army cross-harbour swim last Tuesday. ("Herald" photo).

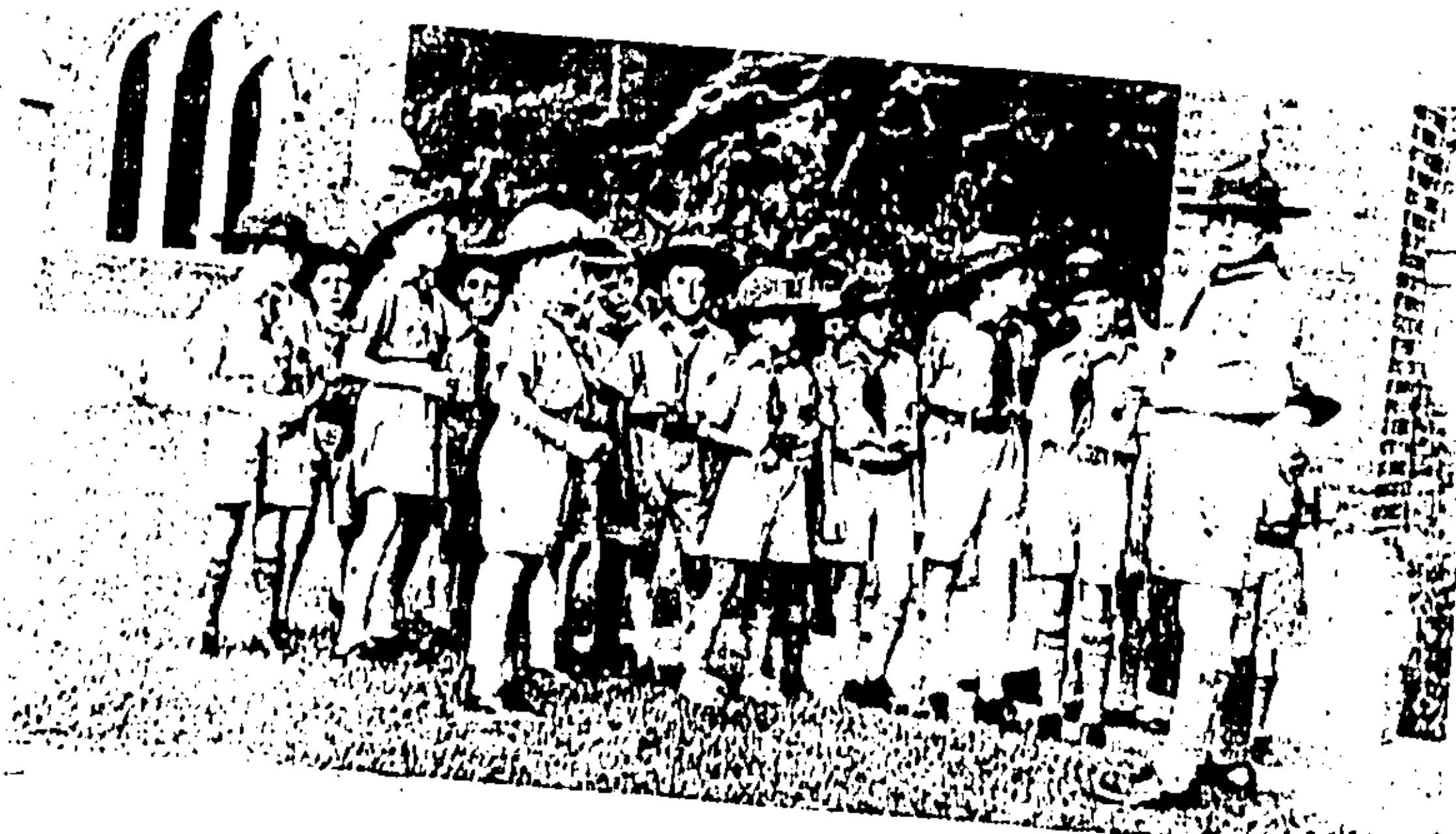


(Below).—A group photograph of the members of the 7th Anti-Aircraft Battery, Royal Artillery, stationed at Lyemun. (King's Studio).

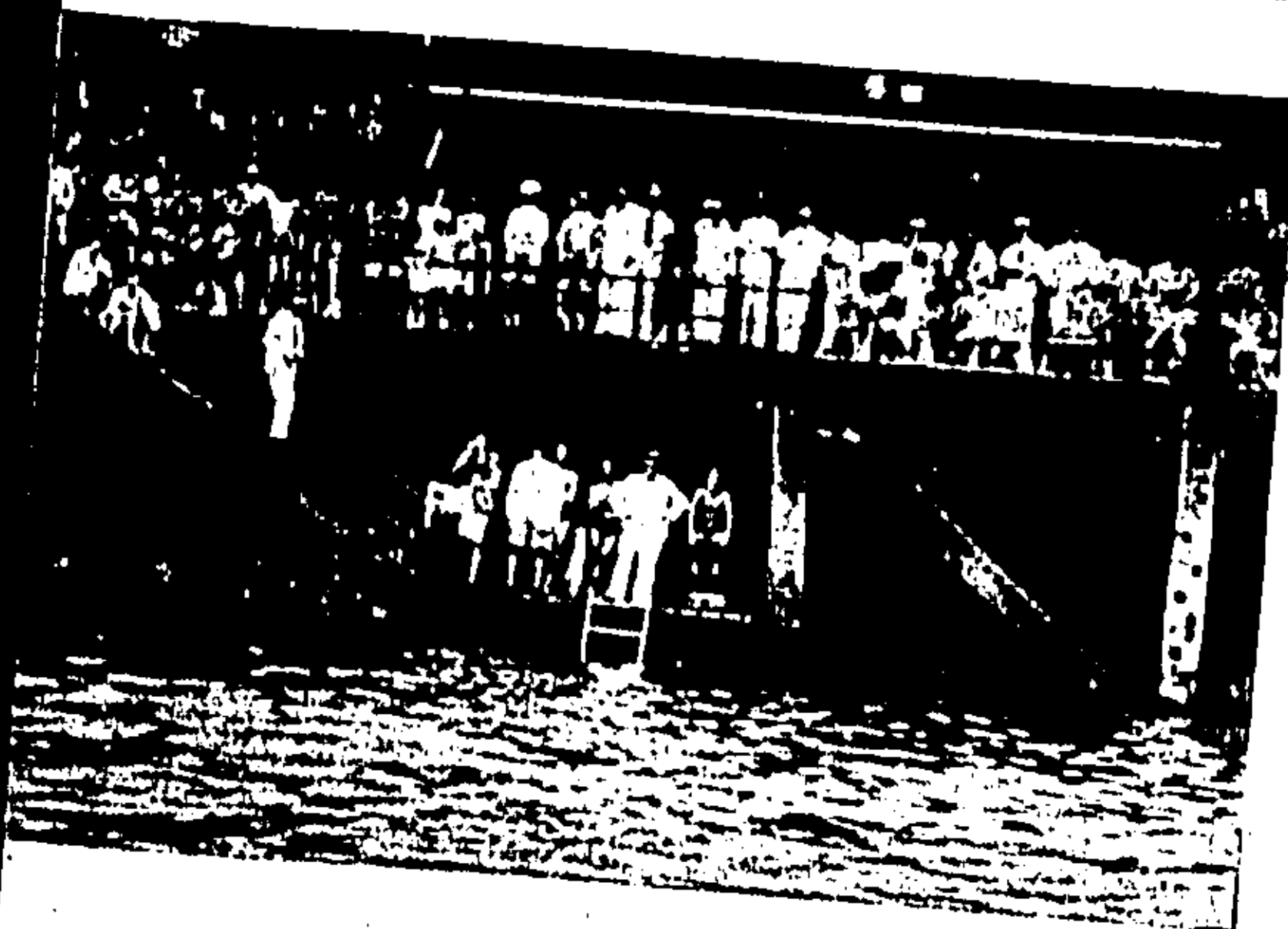


(Above).—L/Cpl. Pearce (left) won the Hong Kong Aren (China Command) cross-harbour race last Tuesday, while Gnr. Halliley (right) came third. ("Herald" photo).

(Left).—A scene during the Hong Kong Police and Prison Departments' swimming heats, which were held last Tuesday in the V.R.C. pool. ("Herald" photo).



Some of the St. Andrew's troop of Wolf Cubs who were presented with new colours by H.E. the General Officer Commanding recently. ("Herald" photo).



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Lieut.-Col. C. Crawford-Jones, M.B., R.A.M.C., is the Dermatologist at the Combined Military Hospital, Kowloon. (King's Studio).

PHOTO
KING'S STUDIO**Pensions**

THE recent actuarial report on the Pension Funds of the Crown Colonies has naturally been much discussed, though not always with understanding of the broad issues of policy involved. A Government pension is really deferred pay given in accordance with the terms on which are held out to a candidate for admission to a service, as an inducement to competent men to join. So long as the pension is paid according to the system in force when the recruit joins up, the contract is fulfilled, and there has never been a case of default. The question of the management of Pension Fund is a department of Government finance. It is not possible to economise on the expenditure by retrenchment as it is on current Public Works and other votes, because the amount depends on the length of life of the recipients. It is inevitable also that in the early years the receipts exceed the payments, and in the later years this is often reversed. And as the Government is bound to make up any deficiency from current taxation it would not be fair to throw the whole burden on to the taxpayers of the future.

The accumulated funds are always invested in stock of the Government concerned, and are therefore really lent at interest to the taxpayers. The whole security for the payments is confined to the solvency of the State Treasury, which would not be able to pay the interest if it were bankrupted by some political cataclysm, and the same remark applies to the power to make good a deficit by a vote out of current receipts. As the pensioner is exactly in the same boat as the taxpayer in that respect what is the advantage of a Pension Fund? It simply amounts to this—that in a well-governed community in which expenditure is used to provide utilities and keep things going for the future, the return earned by such investments is applied indirectly to the relief of future taxation instead of being paid to outside investors.

Life Tables

THAT is not quite all that there is to be said about the subject. The ordinary mortality statistics which are used in calculating contributions are not exactly applicable. Many pensioners go to live in a

healthier climate, and being set free from worry take on a new lease of life and live longer than the average. The Government does not get the financial benefit that would naturally accrue from a bad climate in which longevity would be below the average, because in that case the benefits have to be raised, and the period of "service" shortened. Where conditions are distinctly bad they are continually improved by good administration, with the result that the chances of long life for a pensioner are constantly improving, and sound calculations have to be revised from time to time according to a change of conditions. Malaya is a case in point. At one time conditions were so bad that the few who survived to draw a pension might consider themselves favourites of the gods. In the African services there has always been a "fringe of civilisation" where the pioneers have subscribed more than they have drawn, but many districts that earned a bad name are now quite attractive. The first disturbance of virgin soil is the dangerous period. Late-comers get all the benefit.

Retrenchment

AN element of great uncertainty is introduced by schemes of retrenchment which mean that a *pro rata* retiring allowance is made to men who have had short service with a view to "abolition of office" and similar policies that have nothing to do with the life tables. The economy is very doubtful. Ordinary wastage through retirement, or a return of prosperity, usually brings it about that a new man has to be engaged while a pension is being paid to a man whose expectation of life is still very good. During the Boer War a large number of extra men had to be taken on, especially in the Post Office, to meet increase of work. Some years later dull times, combined with the policy of engaging local men, caused these men in large numbers to be retrenched with some years added to their pension rights as an inducement to resign. They were taken back into the service of the English Post Office at their old salaries, and the High Commissioner's office was crowded once a month with young and vigorous men drawing a few pounds a month which they looked on as manna from heaven.

Recent surpluses suggested a new actuarial valuation, and a quarter of a million pounds was voted to satisfy the acturaries. As this was used to buy Government Stock the effect was just the same as if that amount of stock had been paid off. A certain amount of money that might have been deducted from the Public Debt vote will be deducted from the Pensions vote instead.

Exchange

WHERE both receipts and payments are in sterling there is at least none of the confusion introduced by the fall in the silver price. Cadets who had deductions made with a 5s. dollar were paying a quarter of what would be paid on the same salary to-day in order to acquire the same rights to a sterling pension, but there is no getting out of that for the individual. The Government has to make good the difference, and in turn will benefit by a rise. On that subject it seems to have passed without local comment that the price of gold means a rise in the buying price of silver. The world which was upset by the franc is having to sell gold heavily to make ends meet, and the United States gold dollar is becoming easier to buy through the expenditure of the New Deal. As the amount of newly-mined gold is steadily rising, the probability is that gold will become cheaper gradually for some time to come.

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Sports Chatter

New Club Soccer Player

MATHIEU, a newcomer to the Colony, has joined the Hong Kong Football Club. In the practices he has shown good promise and will probably be seen with the senior team this season.

Ng Returns To Athletic

NG TAK-WING (Lewis Woo), who played for St. Joseph's last season, has returned to his old club and will be playing for the Chinese Athletic Association this year.

Naval Man Eligible For Interport

WIRIDE, the Navy footballer who, with Spencer, was the outstanding player in the Navy junior team last season and who played as centre-half for the senior team at the end of the season, is showing the same good form in friendly games this season. As he is on H.M.S. Tamar he is eligible for the Interport and members of the Council should keep him in mind.

Ernie Fincher Specialising

E. F. FINCHER tells me that he is unlikely to play hockey this coming season for the St. Andrew's Club as he will be devoting most of his time to cricket.

Fencing At V.R.C.

UNDER the coaching of S. Strau-
renghi, a number of members of the Victoria Recreation Club are taking up fencing and can be seen daily taking lessons in the Club's gymnasium.

By the Judge

Souza Joining Argonnatus

U. B. SOUZA, Portugal's and the Radio Sports Club's goalkeeper, will, it is rumoured, be playing for the Argonnatus this season.



The start of the Hong Kong Area (China Command) Cross-Harbour Race last Tuesday afternoon. ("Herald" Photo).



(Upper left) The East Lancashire Regt. team, winners of the H.K. Area (China Command) Cross-Harbour Race.

(Upper right) The Royal Engineers' team which took second place. (Lower left) The individual winners—L/Cpl. Pearce (1st), Lieut. J. M. Calvert (2nd) and Gur. Halliley (3rd). (Lower right) A section of the spectators at the finish. ("Herald" Photos).

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Ng To Represent H.K.

NG KIT-MAN, champion long distance swimmer of the Chung Shing Bathing Club, and ranked as one of the best long distance men in the Chinese bathing clubs of Hong Kong, hopes to be able to accompany the local contingent to Canton in the very near future. It is understood that Ng will represent Hong Kong in the 1,500 Metres race.

"Y" Swimming Innovation

THE final gala of the European Y.M.C.A. Swimming Section will take place on Wednesday, September 23, commencing at 6.30 p.m., and will be followed by a dinner-dance and presentation of prizes.

Mak Ngah After Local Titles

I learn that the Mak Ngah Association will not enter a representative body for the Kwangtung Provincial Aquatic Meeting as a result of some unpleasantness experienced last year, but will concentrate on the Colony championships.

Talbot Back To Inside-Left

NOW that the Fusiliers have three good halves in Wanklyn, Taylor and Grindley, Talbot, the Colony inside-left will be seen this season in his usual position. It will be recalled that he was forced into the pivotal position following Kenehan's accident early last season, though he has played in the forward line occasionally.

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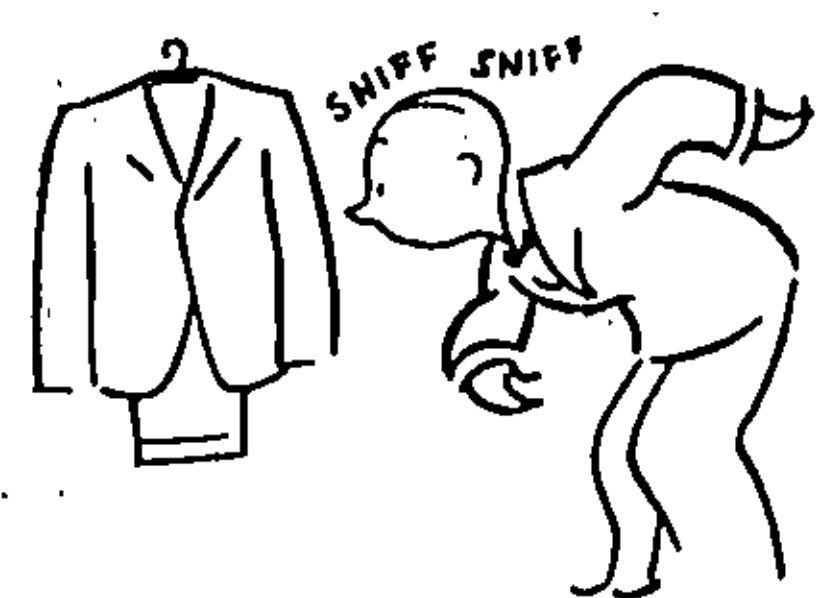
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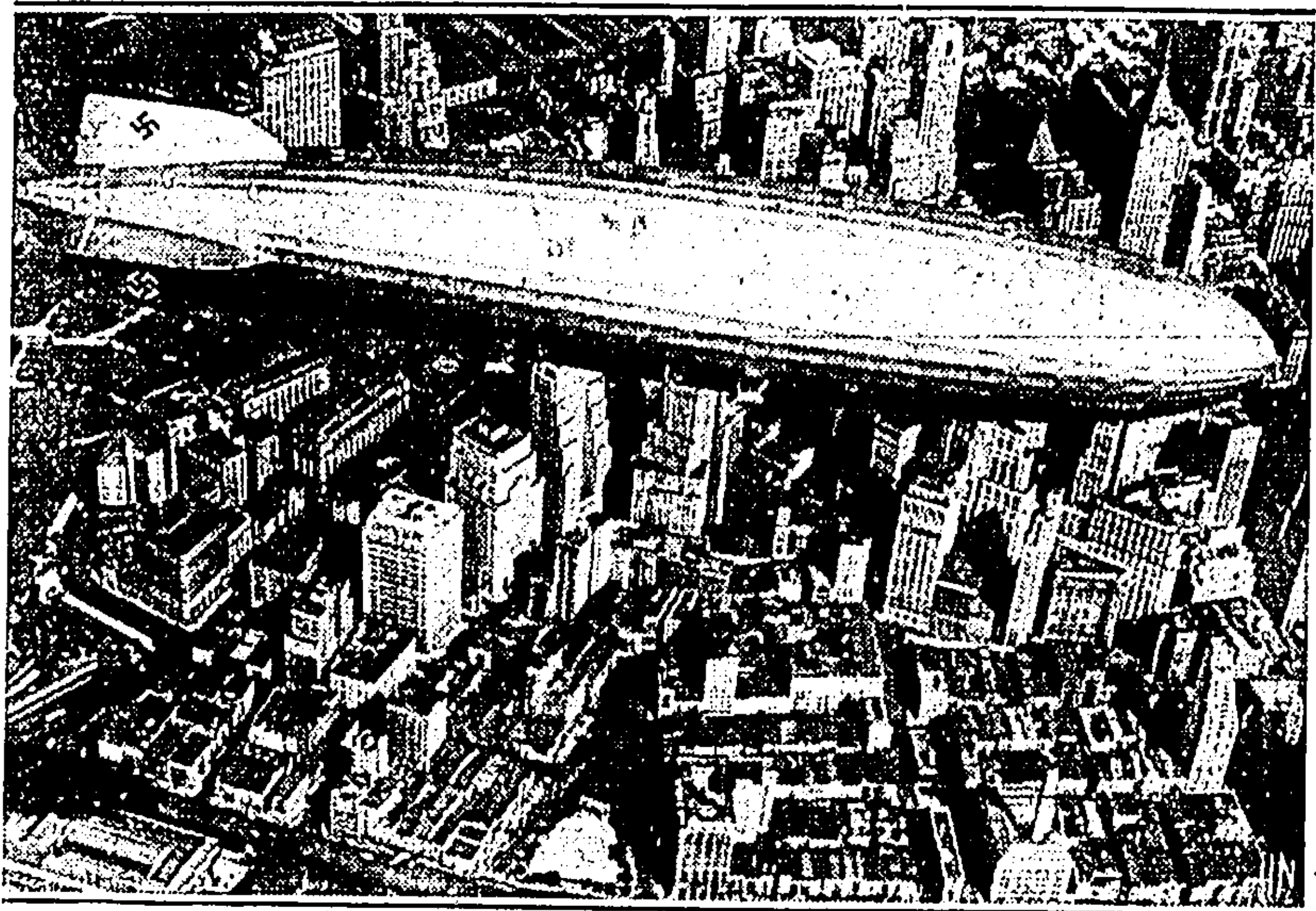
The "Ovaltine" Silver Cup presented by Messrs. A. Wander Ltd., of London, for annual competition at the Police Athletic Sports held at the V.R.C. yesterday. The Cup was presented for the Medley Relay.



This charming picture of lovely Mary Astor, the film star, was made before details of her past were revealed as she had written them in her diary. Excerpts from the book were read in the court battle between Miss Astor and her ex-husband for the custody of their daughter, Marilyn.



Black linen straw with fluttering nose veil and two feather pompoms in green makes an attractive hat that is worn by Gloria Stuart, the screen actress. This unusual colour combination accompanies a cocktail suit in the same green tone, trimmed with silver fox.



New Yorkers and residents of other cities from Boston to Washington, got their first daylight look at the dirigible Hindenburg, when wind conditions prevented her landing at Lakehurst at 11 a.m. when she arrived, and kept her aloft until 7.05 p.m. She flew up the coast to Chatham, Massachusetts, and down as far as Washington. This excellent picture shows the air queen over the lower New York financial district.



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FREE TRIP TO HONG KONG

Valuable Prize Won
By Sydney Girl

FOR COMMENTARY ON M. G. M.
"CHINA SEAS"

In connection with the production of the picture "China Seas," featuring Clark Gable, recently produced by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, a competition was held in Australia not long ago, contestants being required to give their impressions of the picture in not more than 50 words.

The winner was Miss McLeod, of Sydney, and the prize was a free trip to Hong Kong, with free hotel expenses during her stay here.

Miss McLeod will arrive here on October 9 by the s.s. Changtse, and will stay at the Peninsula Hotel during her visit, at the expense of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd.

Miss McLeod, who is only 19 years of age, is to be congratulated on her luck in winning such a valuable prize, and her skill in securing it.

Miss McLeod's letter read as follows:—

My eyes ache over rows of black figures on white paper. I close them. I see waving palms—transparent tropic seas—glorious colours—sea flowers—sea creatures—birds of paradise—strange lands—strange people.

My eyes have stopped aching. I open them to write again. But now my heart aches.

Travel competitions, such as the one responsible for Miss McLeod's visit to Hong Kong, do much to promote more cordial feelings between countries, and the newspaper enterprise that led to this visit is to be commended.

"I am so happy that I am going to realise my dream, and see new countries," said Miss McLeod just before she sailed. "I feel very impatient to be off, and am very grateful to those who have helped to give me this wonderful chance."

Miss McLeod has an appealing personality, is keenly interested in drama and the theatre, and is employed in the office of a Victorian motor company.

GOVERNMENT TENDER

Repairs To No. 1
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Sealed tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for Repairs to No. 1 Fire Float," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's office until noon of Friday, September 25.

Specifications can be obtained at the Government Marine Surveyor's office.

The repairs are to be executed to the satisfaction of the Government Marine Surveyor.

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FRANCO-POLISH RELATIONS

Many Conjectures In
The Press

AN EXCLUSIVE BILATERAL
ASSOCIATION?

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL

Warsaw, Yesterday. The ceremonious and cordial reception awarded the returning Inspector-General of the Polish Army, Marshal Rydz-Smigly, is regarded here as sign of the importance of his mission to France.

This has given rise to speculations in the press, the foreign papers also freely speculating as to the real importance of the Franco-Polish Agreement, the main feature of which seems to be the revival of the Franco-Polish Military Convention.

Those Polish newspapers whose utterances hitherto have been taken as officially inspired emphatically state that the agreement with France is decidedly bilateral, and that the agreement is not a repudiation but merely another confirmation of Poland's policy to reject collective agreements, a theory which was invented by M. Litvinov.

Among the papers to present the situation in this light is, for instance, the semi-official *Gazeta* (Continued in Next Column)



Peggy Salaman, above, former holder of the Cape Town to London record and one of England's most prominent women flyers, entered for the American National Air Races at Los Angeles.

WEDDING BELLS IN KOWLOON

Ferreira-Rozario At
Rosary Church

A very pretty wedding took place at the Rosary Church, Chatham Road, Kowloon, yesterday at 11 a.m. when Miss Linda Minra Marques Ferreira, of Macau, became the wife of Mr. Luiz A. Rozario, book-keeper with Messrs. Gibb, Livingstone and Co. Ltd.

The bride who was charmingly attired in a cream wedding gown with a long lace train, was given away by Mr. J. M. da Rocha and was attended by Mr. Joao Ferreira, as best man, while Mr. Fiddis Rozario, brother of the bridegroom, was his best man. The Rev. Father Rossi officiated.

Miss Betty Rozario was the only bridesmaid, while little Miss Mildred Xavier was the flower-girl.

The Church was decorated with flowers and a large gathering of friends and relatives were present.

The honeymoon is being spent in Canton.

BUS COMPANY RUMOURS

Reduction Of Fares
Contemplated?

There were strong rumours in town yesterday that the China Motor Bus Company were contemplating a reduction of fares on all their routes in the immediate future.

From one source it was learned that the Board of Directors of that Company had a meeting yesterday on the subject, but in an interview with Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan, the managing director, the *Sunday Herald* was informed that "nothing has been decided upon yet." Mr. Ngan adding that he was sorry he was not in a position to give out any news regarding the policy of the Company in this particular matter.

Polka, which states that the news broadcast by the French Agency "Mitropa," that Poland had consented to Soviet planes crossing Polish territory, is the "purest invention."

"The agreement between Poland and France is exclusively bilateral, and was entered into by both countries under this express understanding," the paper concludes.—Trans-Ocean Service.

COMMUNIST PLOT DENIED

20 WORKMEN ARRESTED
IN ROME

Rome, Yesterday.—Though it is denied that any Communist plot has been revealed, authoritative quarters admit that 20 workmen of a steel-works north of Rome have been arrested and will be charged with anti-Fascist activities, financed from abroad.

It is reported that certain Fascist officials have been removed from their posts in the town where the steel-works are situated for failing to know about the trouble beforehand. The arrested men will be charged with distributing leaflets or chalking up phrases sympathising with the Spanish Government.

The rumours that a few people have been arrested in Rome for a similar offence are not confirmed.—Reuters' Bulletin Service.

GERMAN CONSUL GENERAL

Congratulations For
Herr Gipperich

SATISFACTION EXPRESSED AT
WELL-DESERVED HONOUR

When the news came that the Fuehrer and Reichschancellor, Herr Adolf Hitler, had decreed the promotion of the Consul for Germany in Hong Kong, Herr H. Gipperich, to the rank of Consul-General, considerable gratification was felt, not only among the German but also in the international community in Hong Kong.

To express their feelings, the German community has invited Herr H. Gipperich and Frau Gipperich to be guests of honour at a reception to-morrow at the German Club, and many of Herr and Frau Gipperich's friends will no doubt take this opportunity to tender their felicitations.

By Herr Adolf Hitler's decree, a man who, ever since he entered the Consular Service, has made nothing but friends and admirers, has been rewarded. Coming from a well-known commercial family in the north of China, Herr Gipperich has a profound knowledge of the Far East. After service in Harbin and Singapore Herr Gipperich first came to Hong Kong in 1928-9, after which period he was attached to the Foreign Ministry in Berlin for a year and a half. He was again sent to Hong Kong in 1933, and has been here ever since.

Through his kindness and understanding, his tact and insight, he has always carried out his duties, not always easy, in a manner that has gained him friendship and respect in all circles.

At his side, equally respected and admired, Frau Gipperich is widely known for her kindness and tact as a hostess in carrying out her social duties.

HITLER ADDRESSES 250,000 PEOPLE

"German Flag Will
Fly High"

"OUR MOVEMENT WILL NEVER
GET STALE"

Nuremberg, Yesterday. Chancellor Hitler, in his address to an audience of 250,000 people at the Nazi Party Congress yesterday, declared:

"If our old enemies ever try to attack us the flag will fly high. They shall get to know us. We shall not believe that they will ever have the chance of again raising their hands to Germany or to carry this Bolshevik poison again into our country. We long for peace to work to arrange our own life as we wish it and not as the Bolshevik Jews would like."

"We have one request to make to providence—spare our children from our experience. Nobody will believe that our movement will ever get stale. A new young generation marches in our ranks to-day. We can watch quietly the further developments, and we shall not be incontinent."

"I am calm and self-confident because I see our organisation of men and women. I prophesy that this Reich has only experienced the first years of its youth. It will grow through the centuries to come. Do right and do your duty, and God will never desert Germany." — Reuters.



A man's jealousy of Miki Takemura (right), exotic Japanese actress, led to her death in Los Angeles, last month. She was slain, Los Angeles police say, by her American sweetheart, and Raymond Johnson, aged 30, a chef, is being sought for the slaying. Miki, known to the stage as Noda Taka, is here shown with her sisters, Myrtle (left) and Mary (centre).

PRESIDENT OF BRITISH ASSOCIATION

Famous Oxford Scientist Elected

London, Yesterday. Sir Edward Poulton, the famous zoologist and entomologist of Oxford, was yesterday elected next year's President of the British Association. The next meeting of the Association will be held at Nottingham, and the 1938 meeting at Cambridge. At yesterday's meeting of the general committee the question of the future meetings of the Association in Australia was under consideration, but no decision was reached.—British Wireless Service.

PERSONAL NOTES

Among the passengers arriving by the R.M.S. Empress of Canada was Mrs. R. A. de Castro Basto who, after an absence of one year, has returned to the Colony from Switzerland. On her arrival from Europe Mrs. Basto was joined by her husband, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, and the couple left for Japan for a holiday. During their stay in Tokyo, Dr. and Mrs. Basto were the guests of the Swiss Minister, who is a cousin of Mrs. Basto's.

Miss Stella Hyndman, who is in the Lactogen Department of the Nestle Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Company, paid a business visit to Macau and up-country during the week. She returned to the head office here yesterday.

Mr. A. J. Sulland, one of the youngest members of the staff of the Government Medical Department, had his first leave since joining that Department, last week. He spent his holidays in the Colony, doing a great deal of swimming, though the inclement weather spoiled things for him. Mr. Sulland returns to work to-morrow.

Mr. W. J. Carroll, chairman of the Hong Kong Sharebrokers' Association, has gone on another trip to Manila where, it is understood, he will inspect some of the gold mines. Mr. C. A. L. Rickett, the popular secretary of the Association, is also away in the Philippines at the moment. It is understood they will be back here again some time during the week.

The well-known diamond merchant Mr. N. Brandel, who, incidentally, is one of the oldest customers of the Hong Kong Hotel, is back here again, on a short visit of two weeks.

JAPANESE STUDENT STOWS AWAY AND IS CAUGHT

Hissao Endo, aged 19, a Japanese student, appeared before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning charged with stowing away on the Terukuni Maru from Japan to Hong Kong.

Detective Sergeant Loughlin said that the defendant was handed over to the Police on the ship's arrival. "The Police were not taking a serious view as the defendant was still a youth, and the Japanese Consulate were arranging for his return to Japan. Defendant was committed to the House of Detention until his departure."

ANTI-HEROIN WORK

Proposed Scheme For
Tung Wah Hospital

SPECIAL WARD CONSIDERED
IMPRACTICABLE

In view of the good work achieved in the anti-opium ward at the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital, some members of the Directors of the Hospital suggested that an anti-heroin ward would prove most desirable, but, after due consideration, the scheme was turned down as impracticable.

In an interview with Mr. Lo Wing-kit, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, yesterday, we were informed that one of the greatest obstacles in the way of anti-heroin work was the lack of space in the Hospital. There is only accommodation for about 500 people, said Mr. Lo, and the medical officers there have all their work cut out to cope with these patients, without having to specialise in anti-heroin work.

The anti-opium ward, consisting of 12 beds, was supported by the Government, Mr. Lo stated, and even though this small number of patients are treated at one time, it is a long and slow cure.

It has been suggested that in the case of Singapore, drug addicts will always go to the Hospital for treatment so long as they have no money to buy the drugs and they want treatment to help them to quell their desire for narcotics, but the moment a little money is available, forgotten are all their good resolutions and the old habits are given full play.

It has been suggested that the money intended for the anti-heroin work would be better expended providing more open spaces for the poor of the Colony, but so far no decision has been made regarding this proposal.

NAVAL TALKS PENDING

Plan For Bilateral
Agreements

London, Yesterday. A meeting has been arranged to take place at the Foreign Office on Tuesday next between representatives of the British Government and the Norwegian, Swedish, Danish and Finnish Governments, to discuss naval questions. The purpose of the conversations will be the same as in the case of the recent discussions with Russia and Poland, and of those which have been begun with Germany, namely, the conclusion of a bilateral agreement extending the London Naval Treaty.

There will be present on the British Government side representatives of the Foreign Office and of the Admiralty, and the visiting Governments are sending special naval experts.—British Wireless Service.

KING GEORGE V MEMORIAL FUND

London, yesterday.—In 60,000 places of worship throughout the United Kingdom to-morrow collections will be taken for the King George V National Memorial Fund, which yesterday totalled £220,391.—British Wireless Service.

TERRITORIAL RECRUITING INCREASES

London, yesterday.—During the five months April to August 1935, the intake of recruits into the Territorial Army was 20,082, compared with 12,526 during the same period last year—an increase of 60.3 per cent.—British Wireless Service.

Departures By "Jackson"

The following passengers sailed from Hong Kong to Victoria and Seattle via ports on the s.s. President Jackson at midnight on Friday:—Mr. H. J. Chang, Mr. A. A. Gormely, Mr. Telang How Ting, Mr. Chan Ooi Kheng, Mr. A. H. Kutzschbach, Mr. Chow Po Hang, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hinke, Mr. H. Abend, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fello, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hunter, Mr. Howard R. Moy, Mr. T. E. Pike, Madam E. Wolfcarious, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reid, Mr. M. K. Chen, Mrs. K. C. Ding, Miss Luk Lin Nor, Mr. Huang Sum Chee, Mrs. M. M. Starling, Master Stanton Tappan, Master Robert Gallimore, Mr. John Gallahan, Mrs. R. C. Raphone, Miss A. Chignoff, Master Chan, Master Chan, Mr. Koma K. W. Chau, Mr. S. C. Chau, Miss Jean Ehrhardt, Mr. Chan Shu Chor, Mr. and Mrs. Tsang Tak Sang, Mrs. Raymond Wong, Mr. W. M. Thomson, Mr. O. King Lim, Mr. Y. G. Chu, Mr. and Mrs. Chan, Mr. Goh Pat Choo, Mrs. K. Y. Wong, Misses M. C. and H. L. Hinko, Mr. A. Billingham, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schultz, Master Dick H. Hunter, Mr. H. E. McDonald Mr. and Mrs. Long P. Wong, Mr. Tsang Koo Ting, Tack Sam, Mr. L. Stark, Mr. C. W. Feenan, Mr. P. Wolfcarious, Mrs. E. O. Hooks, Mr. Ngan, Miss N. Y. Ding, Mr. Huang Shih Kun, Mr. E. B. Starling, Master James Arnold, Master Richard Gallimore, Mr. Nettie W. Gallahan, Mrs. Young Lai, Mrs. Soo Yan Pang, Mr. Chik Pan, Miss P. H. Man, Miss Elizabeth Chan Fan, Master Tsang, Mrs. Hiloy Wong, Mrs. S. Y. Liang, Mr. Y. Lee, Mr. Ho Wing On, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacKenzie, Mr. Huang Shih Kun, Mr. K. Y. Tao, Mr. C. W. Ho, Mr. Chan Ban Slew, Mrs. P. H. Chow, Mrs. P. K. Malloy, Miss Jean Varn, Mr. Lance Schultz Jr., Miss J. Hunter, Mr. John W. Welby, Mr. W. Gordon Bowden, Mrs. Chang Suoy, Mr. A. M. Freeman, Capt. and Mrs. C. W. Reid, Miss M. I. Hooks, Mrs. Ho, Master Ho, Master K. T. Ding, Mr. Huang Shih Kun, Miss T. Ding, Mr. Lewis, Miss Betty Stainer, Master Allan Arnold, Master Jimmy Hoffman, Miss Ruth Gallagher, Miss M. Ward, Mrs. Chan, Mrs. Ching, Mr. K. C. Chen, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Page, Miss Edith Roberts, Mr. H. K. Chang, Mr. M. L. Yu, Master Edwin Wong, Mr. P. C. Lee, Mr. S. K. Woo, Mr. G. P. Wong, Mr. Tsang Koo Ting.

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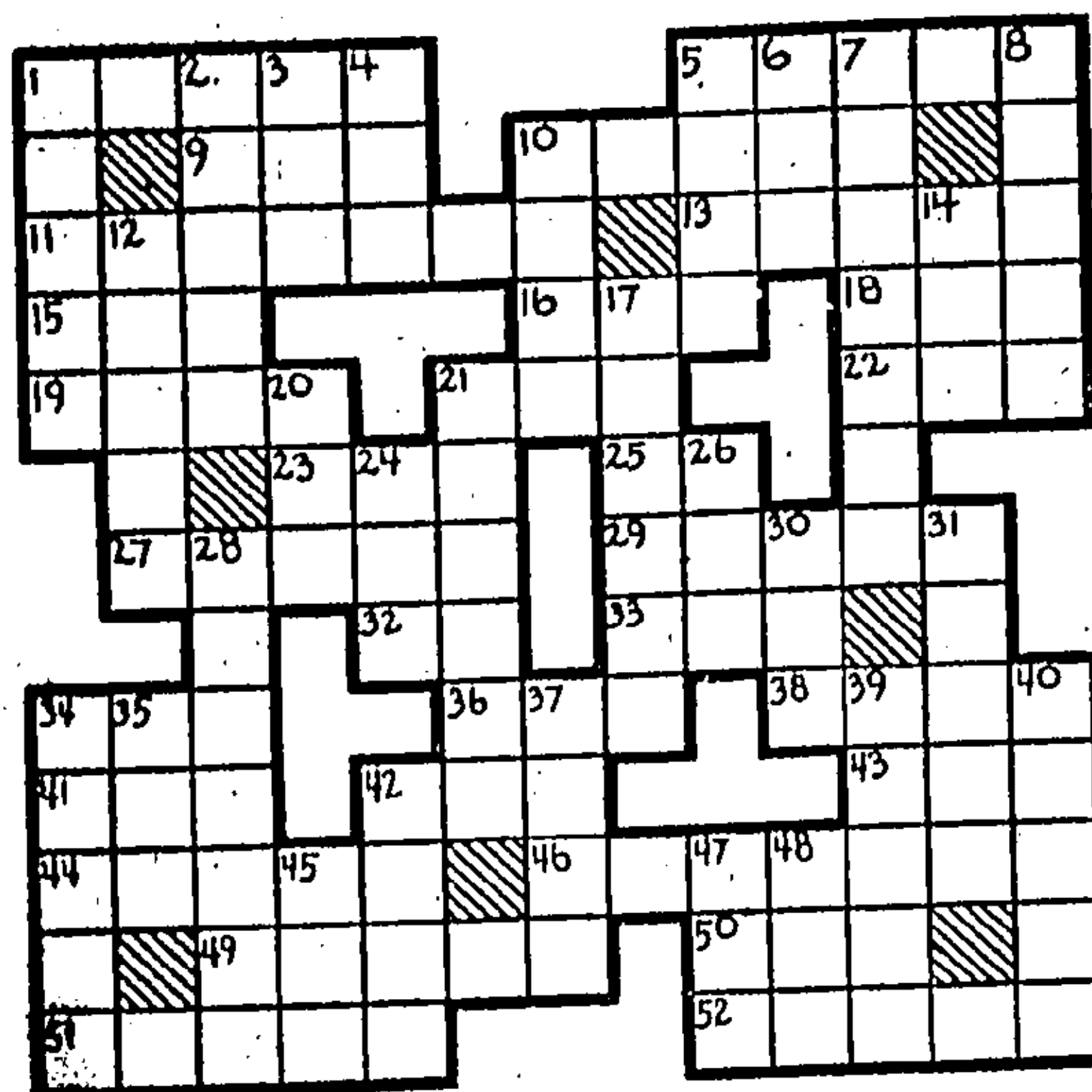
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HORIZONTAL

- 1-Use of words peculiar to a language
8-A serpent
9-Born
10-A singing voice
11-Actively
12-Hope
13-And not
14-A dance
15-Said to a horse
16-Consumes
21-Article of furniture
22-Auto fuel
23-Employ
24-Bone (Lat.)
27-Javelin
28-Resilience
32-Musical note
33-Lace fabric
34-Bustle
35-It is (Contr.)
38-Period of time

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

- 41-Fifty-four
42-Pronoun
43-A beverage
44-To think
45-Tendered
46-True friend of Pythias
50-An insect
51-Surmise
52-A Pilgrim Father

VERTICAL

- 1-Silly
2-Inactive
3-Over (contr.)
4-United
5-An insect (pl.)
6-June-bug
7-Coarse fabric for rugs
8-Grades

VERTICAL (Cont.)

- 10-Emblem
12-Burdens
14-Ocean
17-Decorates
20-Entrust
21-Beeld
24-Salt (Lat.)
26-Look
28-Furnish
30-Pig-pen
31-Not fresh
34-In company with
35-Sag
37-A metal
38-Having ears
40-Angle in a fort
42-Edges
45-National Academy of Sciences (abbr.)
47-Fellow of the British Academy (abbr.)
48-A fish

"U.B." Beer In Colony

Draught Pilsener Available

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The new factory of the Union Brewery in Shanghai, which was commenced in 1934, is now completed. It is the largest in the Far East and has an annual capacity of 1,000,000 cases.

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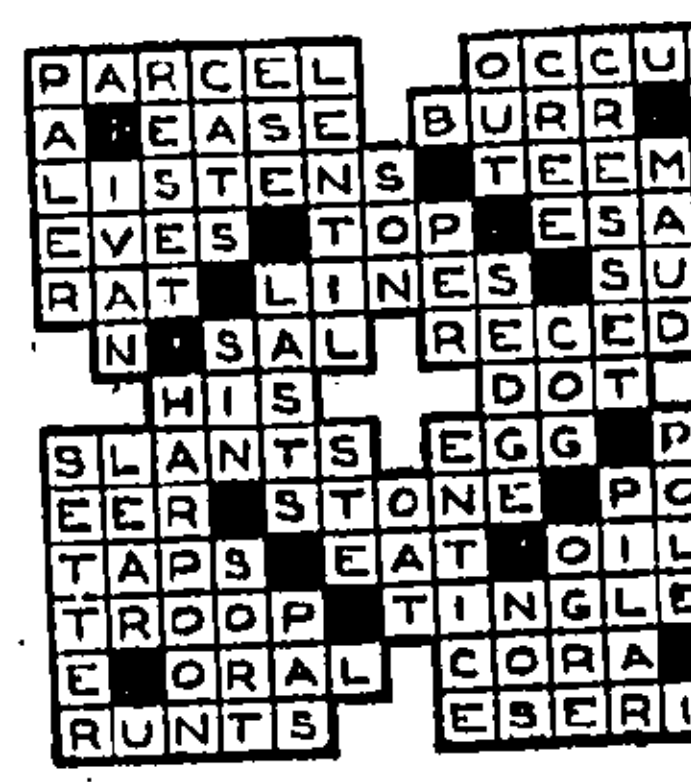
Mr. Rud. E. Rasche, the U.B. representative, states that the new brew of U. B. draught reaches Hong Kong in specially constructed containers which do away with the old-fashioned hoghead and ensure the high standard of quality which is so difficult to maintain in tropical climates.

The new installations, which have been arranged in all the leading hotels here by W. R. Loxley & Co. (China) Ltd., agents for the draught beer, also shows a new departure in that a steady proper temperature is maintained, thereby retaining the freshness and taste which has made the Pilsener type of beers renowned the world over.

Bottled beer from the new brewery is also now arriving in the Colony and is being handled by Messrs. Calbeck Macgregor and Co., Ltd., who are closely associated with the Union Brewery in Shanghai.

A Gazette notification states that the offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the long vacations, except on public or general holidays, when the offices will be entirely closed, and on Saturdays, when they will be open from 10 a.m. to noon, subject, however, to the provisions of section 5 of the Supreme Court (Vacations) Ordinance, 1898, so far as it relates to the Criminal Sessions. The long vacation begins on September 20 and terminates on October 17, both days inclusive. The next Criminal Sessions will be held on Monday, September 21, at 10 a.m.

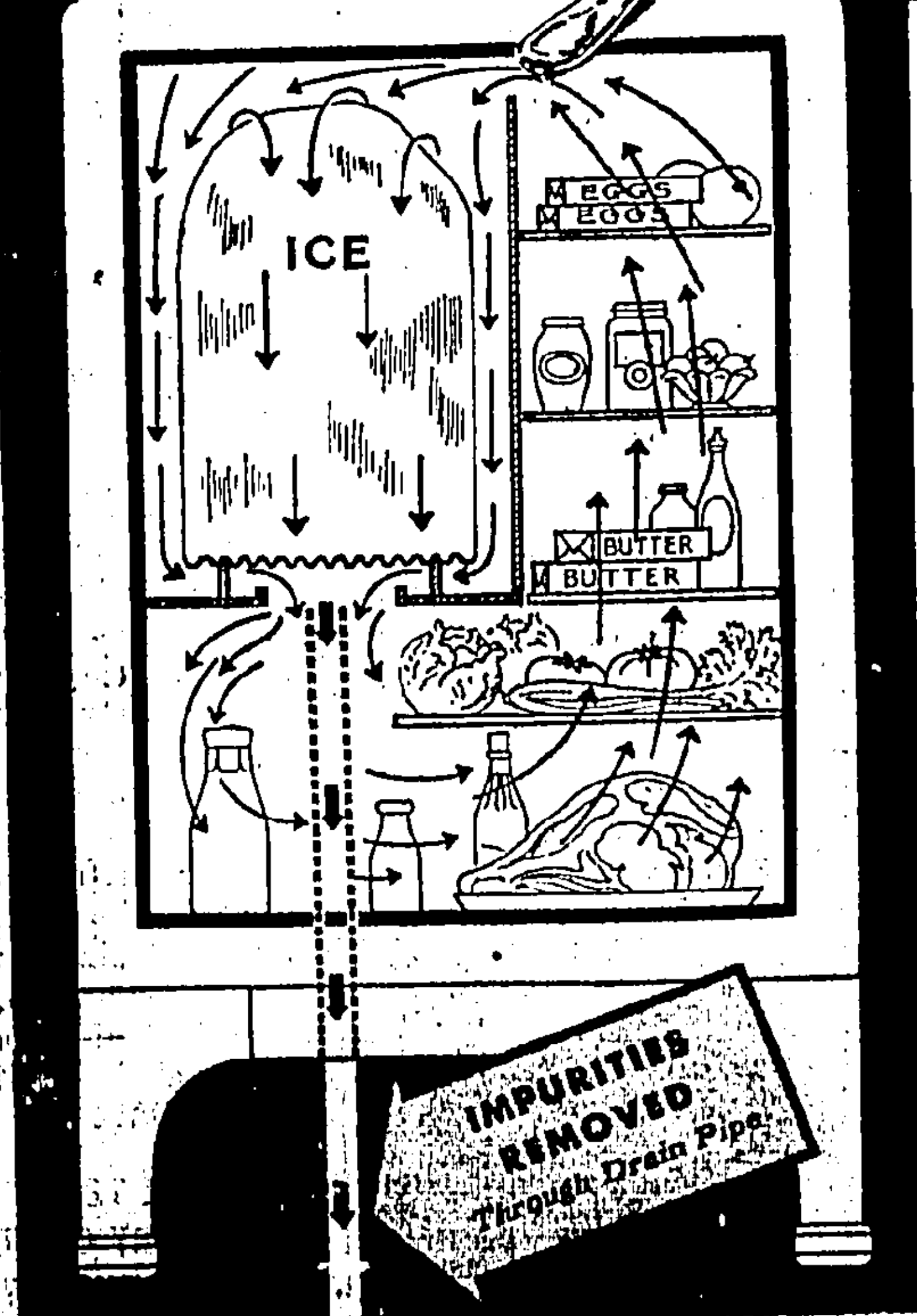
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Relay of Hong Kong Singers from St. John's Cathedral

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11-11 a.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from St. Joseph's Church.

11 a.m.—12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Morning Service from the St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European recorded programme.

12.15 p.m.—Symphony No. 5 in E Minor, Op. 95 (The New World) (Dvorak) played by the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra, conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

12.57 p.m.—A Violin Solo by Michael Coleman.

Tell her I am—Jig Medley.

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—A Concert.

Song—Ave Maria (Schubert)

Elizabeth Schumann (Soprano).

Cello Solo—Sarabande (Handel)

Beatrice Harrison.

Pianoforte Solo—Presto (from Sonata in A Major) (Scriabin)

Vladimir Horowitz.

Song—I'm a Roamer (Mendelssohn)

Robert Radford (E. M. S.).

Cello Solo—The Garden of Sleep (De Lara)

Beatrice Harrison.

Song—A Song of Thanksgiving (Alltson)

Essie Ackland (Contralto).

Pianoforte Solo—Children's Corner Suite—"Serenade for the Doll" (Debussy)

Vladimir Horowitz.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local: Weather forecast, time and announcements.

1.40 p.m.—Military Band Selections.

Dance of the Flowers—Valse ("Le Corsaire Ballet") (Delibes)

The Jolly Robbers—Overture (Suppe)

Marching with Sousa

2 p.m.—A Recital by Richard Crook (Tenor).

1. I Love thee (Grieg).

2. A Dream of Paradise (Lyttleton)

3. Too late to-morrow (Langenberg)

4. Macushla (Macmurrough).

2.13 p.m.—Concert Waltzes.

Invitation to the Waltz (Weber, Op. 65)

Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss)

Blue Danube (J. Strauss)

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—An Hour with Liszt.

Pianoforte Solo—Sonetto No. 104 Del Petrarca (from "Années de Pelerinage")

Simon Baror.

Orchestral—Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in F

Song—Es Muss Ein Wunderbares Sein

Richard Tauber (Tenor).

Pianoforte Solos—Etude in F Minor

Waltz in A flat Major, Op. 42

Simon Baror.

Orchestral—Hungarian Rhapsody No. 12

Hungarian Fantasia for Piano and

Orchestra

Jacques Dupont (Piano) and the

Orchestre Symphonique, Paris.

Orchestral—Liebestraume.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.

8.03 p.m.—An Organ Recital by Dr. Albert Schweitzer.

1. When in Deepest Need—Choral

Prelude (Bach).

2. My heart is longing—Choral

Prelude (Bach).

3. Prelude and Fugue in E Minor (Bach).

8.20 p.m.—The New Light

Symphony Orchestra.

Three Corners Hat—Suite (Da

Falla).

Monastery Bells (Wely).

The Mill in the Forest (Ellenberg).

Intermezzo—(Coleridge-Taylor).

Prelude (Haydn Wood).

8.45 p.m.—Enrico Caruso (Tenor)

1. Agnus Dei (Bizet).

2. Strange Harmony ("Tosca") (Puccini).

3. Woman is Fickle ("Rigoletto") (di Capua).

9 p.m.—Reuter Press.

9.10 p.m.—"Overture" "Cosi Fan Tutte" (Mozart).

9.15 p.m.—A Relay from St. John's Cathedral.

A Recital by the Hong Kong Singers.

Conductor: J. Anderson Miller.

L.R.A.M. Organist: Lindsay A. Lafford.

F.R.C.O. (CHM). L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M. Programme

1. Motet: "There is an old Belief" Parry.

(From "The Songs of Farwell")

2. Cantata: "Blest pair of Sirens" ... Parry.

(At a Solemn Music)

9.45 p.m.—The Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.

Dance Macabre (Dance of Death) (Saint-Saens, Op. 40).

Carmen—Entr'acte, Act 4. (Bizet).

Carmen—Prelude to Act 1. (Bizet).

10 p.m.—Big Ben from London.

March—Weber and his Orchestra.

The Hermit (Schmalstieg).

Forest Idyll (Easlinger).

Salut D'Amour (Elgar).

I Kiss your Lips (Radolphe).

Chocolate Soldier—Selection (O. Strauss).

Potpourri of Waltzes (Robrecht).

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.



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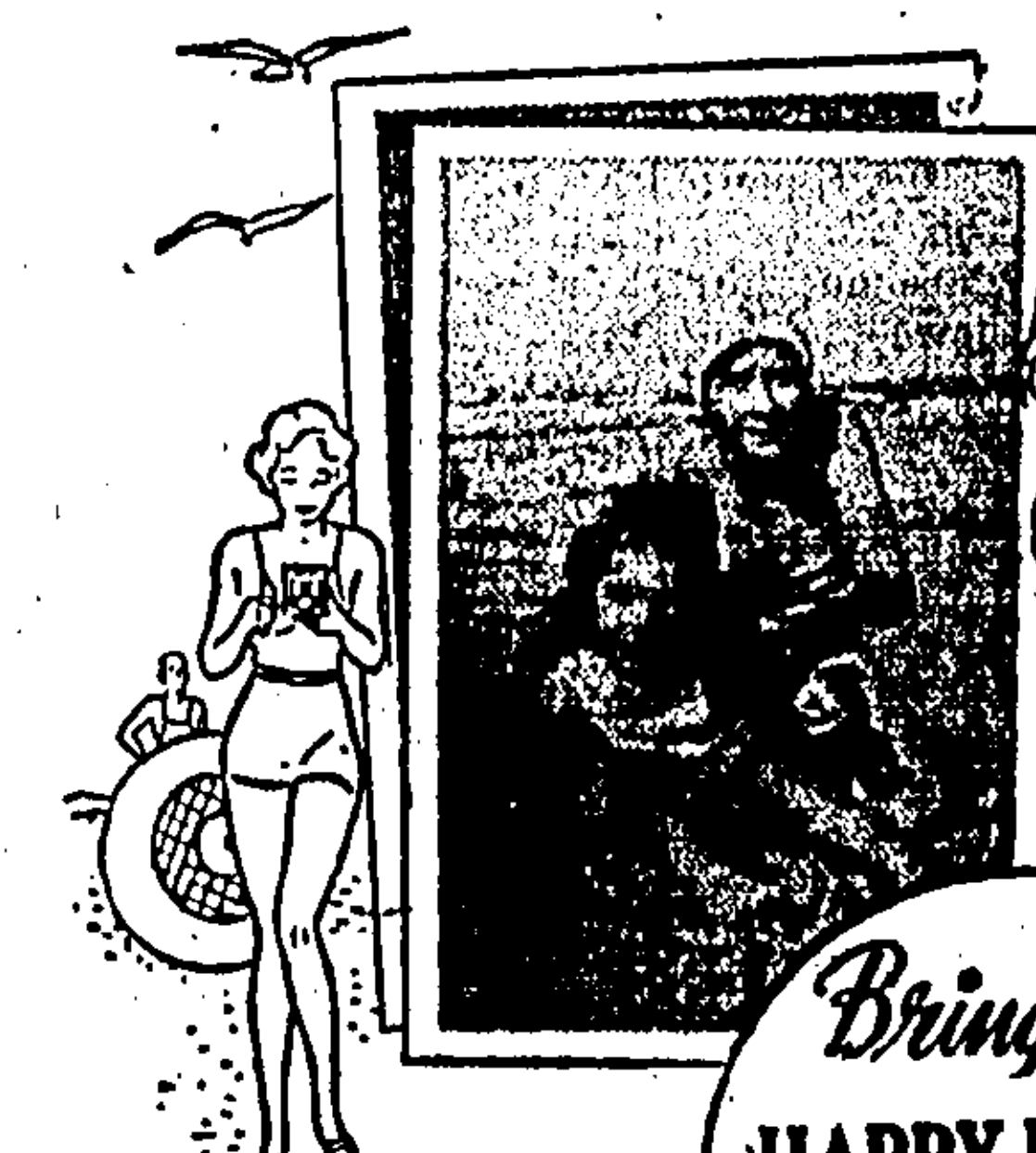
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PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS OF THE Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 14th day of September, 1936, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Kau Lung Tsai in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1893 with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

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No. of Sale.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Area in Acres.	Approx. Value.
1.	Kau Lung Tsai, New Kowloon, District of New Kowloon.	As per plan, 75,000 sq. ft.	1.72	\$200.00

CHURCHES TO-DAY'S SERVICES

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(A Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.)
 Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station.
 Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m.
 Subject:—"SUBSTANCE"
 Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located at Bank of Asia Buildings, 10 Des Voeux Road, Central and is open daily, except Wednesdays and Saturdays:
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ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL
 Hong Kong
 11 a.m. Rev. H. W. Baines.
 6.30 p.m. Rev. A. J. Bennett.

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 11 a.m. Rev. G. Baker.
 9 p.m. Rev. J. R. Higgs.

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 Kennedy Rd. H.K.
 10.30 a.m. Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.
 6 p.m. Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow.

UNION CHURCH
 Jordan Rd. Kowloon
 11 a.m. Rev. J. D. MacLenn.
 6.30 p.m. Rev. J. D. MacLenn.

METHODIST CHURCH
 Wanchai
 10.15 a.m. Rev. E. Tribbeck.
 7.15 p.m. Rev. E. Tribbeck.

EMMANUEL CHURCH
 218 Nathan Rd., Kowloon
 11 a.m. Dr. H. L. Chit.
 8 p.m. Dr. H. L. Chit.

CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL
 10 Canal Road
 Mass. 8, 9, and 10.30 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH
 Garden Road
 Mass. 8, and 10 a.m.
 10 a.m. Rev. Fr. G. Kennedy, S.J.

ROSARY CHURCH
 Chatham Road—Kowloon
 Mass. 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, and 9.30 a.m.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH
 Prince Edward Rd., Kowloon
 Mass. 6.30
 Rev. Fr. Orlando.
 Mass. 7.30 & 9.30
 Rev. Fr. N. Neestrin.

ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH
 Mass. 6.30, 7.30 and 9.30 a.m.

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
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 Mass. 7.30 and 9.30 a.m.
 Rev. Fr. D. Page.

POLICE AQUATIC SPORTS

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LADY CALDECOTT PRESENTS THE TROPHIES

Members of the Hong Kong Police Force held their annual aquatic sports at the Victoria Recreation Club yesterday afternoon when His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott attended. At the conclusion of the programme Lady Caldecott distributed the prizes.

Keen competition and a spirit of friendly rivalry featured every event and the many people who attended enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Amongst those present were the Hon. Mr. R. A. C. North, Acting Colonial Secretary, Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, together with Mrs. King and the Misses King, the Hon. Mr. W. J. Carrie, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Franks, Mr. and Mrs. Eu Tong Sen, Messrs. W. R. Scott, W. la Bart Sparrow, W. Schofield, A. R. S. Major, W. M. Thompson, T. Murphy, the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, and many others.

In calling upon Lady Caldecott to give away the prizes, Mr. Sparrow said he wished to thank everybody who had worked so hard to make the meeting a success, the donors to the prize fund and the Victoria Recreation Club for placing the bath at their disposal.

Lady Caldecott Thanked

After Lady Caldecott had distributed the prizes, the Hon. Mr. King made a short speech thanking her for having so kindly done so and saying that they were deeply grateful to His Excellency and Lady Caldecott for coming to their sports. He fully appreciated that it meant the sacrifice of a Saturday afternoon and he said that he was glad to state that His Excellency's presence meant that he had now fully recovered from his recent illness. (Applause).

The results were:

Long Plunge: 1. L/Serg. Bowers; 2. Sergt. Hutchison; 3. Sub-Inspr. McEwen. Distance: 54 ft. 3 ins. Life Saving (Chinese Water Police): 1. W40; 2. W148; 3. W7. 100 Yards championship (Indians and Chinese): 1. C47; 2. B991; 3. C943. Time: 67 secs. 100 Yards championship (Europeans): 1. Sergt. Hutchison; 2. Warden Franks; 3. Mr. W. M. Thompson. Time: 81 1/5 secs. 50 Yards for Chinese clerks, interpreters and members of the Fire Brigade: 1. Cheung Shiu-leung; 2. Young Fing-kwai. Life Saving (Europeans): 1. Sergt. Manning; 2. Sergt. Hutchison; 3. Sergt. McMahon. 50 Yards Handicap (Europeans): 1. L/S. Brown; 2. Warden Blumenthal; 3. Warden Tappenden. Time: 43 3/5 secs.

Uniform Race (Asiatic Land Police): 1. B519; 2. B287. 100 Yards open to members of the V.R.C.: 1. A. A. da Rosa; 2. E. M. Marques; 3. F. Simonsen. 50 Yards Children's Race: 1. Jill Stokes; 2. Maureen Chester-Woods; 3. Donald Chester-Woods. Police Reserve Race (Two lengths): 1. A. Hamot; 2. A. Rahmin. 100 Yards breast stroke championship (Europeans): 1. L/Serg. Bowers; 2. Warden Franks; 3. Sergt. McMahon. Time: 90 4/5 secs. High Diving (Europeans): 1. Sergt. Brown; 2. Warden Brimblecombe; 3. Sergt. Wheeler. 50 Yards free-style (Chinese Water Police): 1. W40; 2. W148; 3. Sto. 2. Obstacle Race (Europeans): 1. Warden T. Pile; 2. L/Serg. Mackenzie; 3. L/Serg. Wheeler. Obstacle Race (Chinese Water Police): 1. W129; 2. W148; 3. W44. Pillow Fight: 1. L/Serg. Mackenzie; 2. Sergt. Penfold.

Shing Mun Engineers Deserve Congratulation

A REALLY wet day, continuously and solidly a downpour, is not so bad for a Bank Holiday as a day that promises well in the morning only to catch us at a disadvantage in the afternoon. Nobody could have any doubt about what to do last Monday. It was a day for home comforts, and in the course of some casual calls it was noticeable that a good many people who were not of the sort who stick to hard and fast dates had indulged in a fire, not so much for warmth as for the feeling of cheery dryness. So

RELAY RACE MOST OPEN IN YEARS

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The Diving Championship, always a good spectacle, will be one of the most open events in the series and although Lionel Roza-Pereira, who took second place two seasons ago, is competing, Cpl. Gregson, the Army champion, and Cpl. Stevens, of the Sappers, despite his failure in the Army individual championship, should prove formidable rivals.

Full Programme

The following is the full programme of championship events:
 Tuesday, September 15—
 Commencing 6 p.m.—
 100 Yards Free Style—Championship of the Colony.
 Throwing the Polo Ball—Championship of the Colony.

Wednesday, September 16—
 Commencing 6 p.m.—
 100 Yards Free Style—Ladies' Championship of the Colony.

850 Yards Free Style—Championship of the Colony.

Team Race—Open to the Colony—4 men, 50 yards each.

Friday, September 18—
 Commencing 6 p.m.—
 100 Yards Free Style—Boys' Championship of the Colony (15 years and under).

Long Plunge—Championship of the Colony.

220 Yards Free Style—Championship of the Colony.

Saturday, September 19—
 Commencing 9.15 p.m.—
 50 Yards Free Style—Championship of the Colony.

100 Yards Breast Stroke—Championship of the Colony.

Diving—Championship of the Colony.

440 Yards Free Style—Championship of the Colony.

The following were the results of heats held last Friday.

100 Yards free-style championship:

Heat 1:
 1. W. Lawrence (V.R.C.).
 Time: 57 4-5 secs.

2. N. Lee (S.C.A.A.).
 Time: 58 1-5 secs.

3. Rfm. Hamilton (R.U.R.).
 Time: 62 3-5 secs.

Heat 2:
 1. H. L. Ozorio (U.S.C.).
 Time: 62 1-5 secs.

2. Wong Chi-hong (S.C.A.A.).
 Time: 62 2-5 secs.

3. Cpl. McCarthy (East Lanes.).
 Time: 63 2-5 secs.

The following have qualified for the final—
 W. Lawrence, N. Lee, H. L. Ozorio, Wong Chi-hong and Rfm. Hamilton (fastest third).

100 Yards breast-stroke championship:

The following will swim in the final—Cpl. A. Fildes (East Lanes.), L/Cpl. A. Thorpe (East Lanes.), Wong Yu-man (Mak Ngah), E. M. Marques (V.R.C.), and K. Nazarin (V.R.C.).

100 Yards back-stroke championship:

Heat 1:
 1. Lau Po-hel (U.S.C.).
 Time: 69 4-5 secs.

2. Sim Boon-hoon (Mak Ngah).
 Time: 78 3-5 secs.

3. Yip Hon-chuen (S.C.A.A.).
 Time: 81 2-5 secs.

50 Yards for Messengers and members of Streets Boys' Club: 1. Li Kau; 2. Wan Pang-ji; 3. Yan Young-lai.

Ladies' Nomination Race: 1. Sergt. Bowers and Mrs. Hill; 2. Sergt. Hayward and Mrs. Merriman.

Life Belt Race (Chinese Water Police): 1. W129; 2. W94; 3. Sto. 2.

Team Race: 1. H. K. Police (Bowers, Hayward, Hutchison and Mackenzie); 2. Police Reserve; 3. Fire Brigade.

Uniform Race: 1. W40; 2. W148; 3. W155.

Water Polo: Police (Clarke, Bowers, Hutchison, McMahon, Brown, Penfold and Hayward) beat Prison (Brimblecombe, Franks, Pile, Blumenthal, Windsor, Tappenden and Pearce) by 3 goals to 1.

Perdue Aggregate Cup (Chinese Water Police): W66 and W148 tie with 0 points each.

Wolfe Aggregate Cup (Europeans): Sergt. Hutchison.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

DRAFT PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the Seventh Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 26th September, 1936 (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.
 Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 17th September, 1936.

By Order,
 S. A. SLEAP,
 Acting Secretary.

NOTICE

I have This Day started the practice of an Architect, Surveyor and Engineer under the style or firm name of A. H. BASTO, at Prince's Building, Top Floor, Telephone No. 83539.

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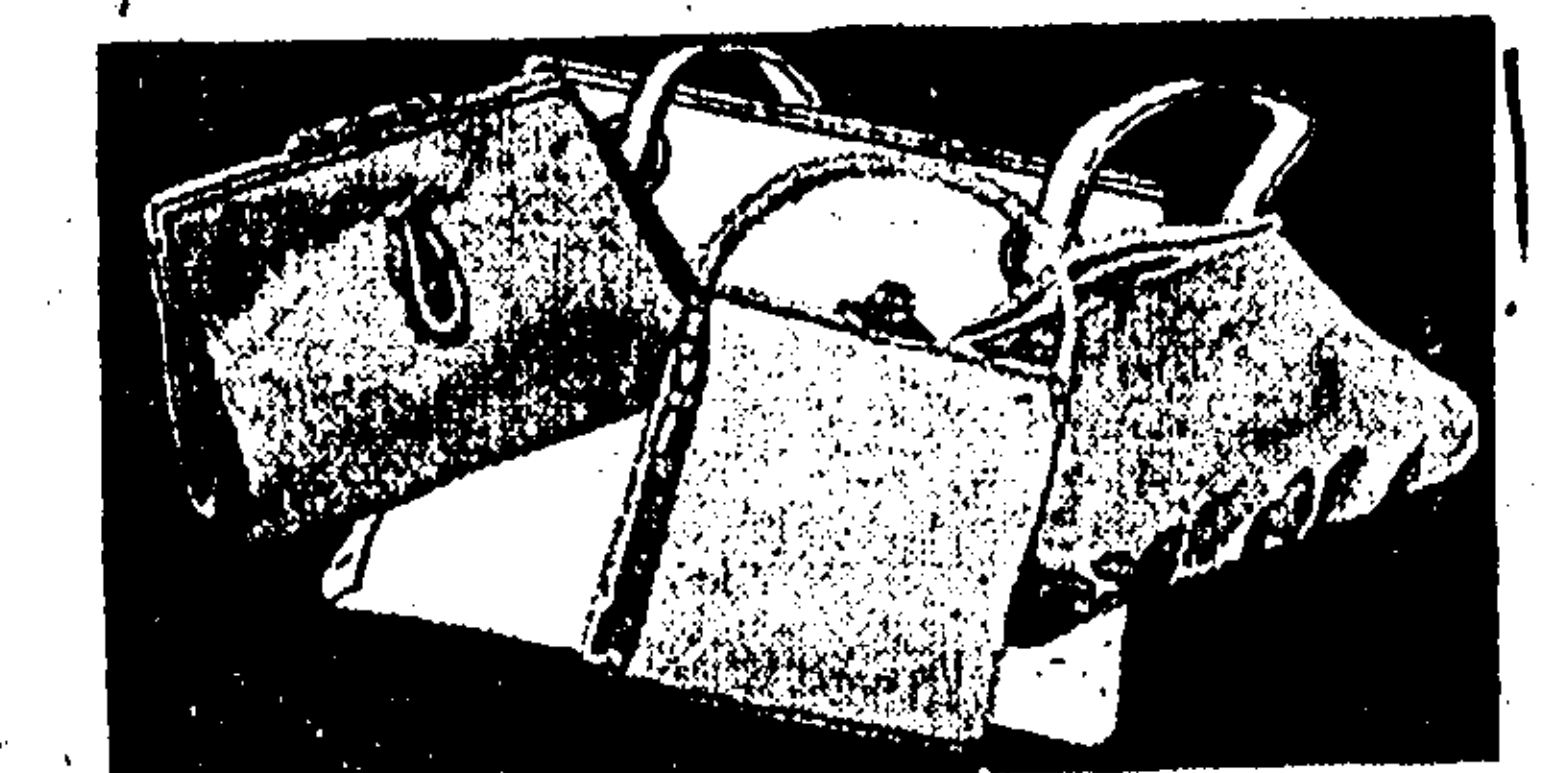
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TEST PLAYERS' BEST FEATS

Hammond And Verity Top The Lists

WORTHINGTON'S FINE SEASON

The following are the Test players' best feats during the 1936 season, as cabled by Reuter:

G. O. Allen (Middlesex): 137 v Worcester, at Lord's; 54 (for M.C.C.) v All India, at Lord's. 10 for 78 v All India (First Test) at Lord's; 6 for 58 v Notts, at Trent Bridge; 6 for 39 v Kent, at Lord's; 5 for 65 v Hampshire, at Lord's.

Hammond (Gloucester): 160 not out v Somerset, at Bristol; 81 v All India, at Cheltenham; 108 v Surrey, at Cheltenham; 217 v All India (Third Test) at the Oval; 317 v Notts, at Gloucester; 167 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford.

5 for 27 v Sussex, at Eastbourne. Verity (Yorkshire): 5 for 48 v Essex, at Hull; 15 for 128 v Oxford U., at Oxford; 13 for 88 v Worcester, at Stourbridge; 7 for 65 v Glamorgan, at Swansea; 15 (Continued on Page 16)

ENGLAND v AUSTRALIA IN TEST CRICKET

Won By	Won By	E.	A.	Dn.	Total
In Australia	32	38	2	72	
In England	20	15	27	62	
Totals	52	53	29	134	

The first Test in Australia was played in the 1876-7 season and the first in England in 1880.

HIGHEST OF THE SEASON

This year Hammond, by scoring 317 against Notts, brought his total for August to 1,281, which bettered W. G. Grace's 1871 record by three runs and recalled the M.C.C. match against New Zealand at Auckland in 1932-3, when Hammond hit 10 sixes and 33 boundaries in an innings of 336 not out. Hammond scored 1,028 runs in 13 innings in May, 1927!

THE M.C.C. cricketers under the captaincy of G. O. Allen left England yesterday for Australia, where they will play twenty odd matches, including five Test matches. This will be the first official tour of Australia since the "body-line" dispute caused by Douglas Jardine in the 1932-3 season.

The cricket "war" has long been concluded and the gesture on the part of Bill Voce, the English fast left-hander and one of the three who caused all the trouble, who has placed himself unreservedly in the hands of the Board of Control despite an earlier statement to the effect that he was finished with international cricket, is one that will be appreciated in Australia, even more so than the fact that the visiting skipper is Australian-born.

Australia are in a very sound position at the moment and the odds are that they will retain the Ashes they won in England in 1934. Bradman, McCabe, Brown, Fingleton, O'Reilly, Bromley, Fleetwood-Smith, Chipperfield, Chilvers and Grimmett are all available, but there is going to be a battle royal before one side comes out on top. The best eleven will not be wanting in lustrous out-crick, nor in fighting spirit, nor in ability of the highest order.

The touring English side inspires confidence. It is an all-round one, and of as high a standard as possible. The selectors merit congratulations that are unqualified, except in the minds of those cricket followers who have doubt about the wisdom of appointing a fast bowler to the captaincy.

The great side which under D. R. Jardine regained the Ashes four years ago was, through various causes, broken up, and new men had to be found. They had, moreover, to be worthy of filling the places of giants, for it is almost with a pang that we find missing from the new team such players as Jardine himself, Sutcliffe, Larwood and Bowes.

Other missing names are those of Tate—more or less inevitable in his case; Paynter, the hero of one Test match in 1932-3; Mitchell, of Derbyshire; F. R. Brown and the Nawab of Pataudi.

Eight Former Tourists

Only eight of the previous England team in Australia have been selected for the forthcoming visit: Allen, Hammond, Leyland, Duckworth, Voce, Verity, Wyatt and Ames.

There are three bowlers who may be described as fast—Allen, Farnes, probably the fastest in England, and Voce. As a matter of fact the side is rich in bowling; 12 of the 16 are ready to be called upon, seven being valuable change bowlers—Verity, Worthington, Sims, Hammond, Leyland, Wyatt and Barnett. Verity and Worthington are likely to be the "stock" bowlers.

Holmes, the Surrey captain, who played in Australia and New Zealand last winter, was perhaps the surprise selection, and it is gratifying to see Wyatt unexpectedly replace him. On form Barnett and Sims surely justified their inclusion. Barnett, who hit 11 sixes and 18 boundaries in 194 at Bath two years ago, is likely to be the opening batsman with Fagg, and Sims, not unknown as a batsman, will help Verity and Robins in the spin bowling.

Four Left-Handers

The side contains four fine left-handers in Voce, Leyland, Verity and Fishlock; five equally fine out-



G. O. ALLEN (CAPTAIN)

THE IMPORTANT FIXTURES

The more important fixtures of the tour are given below:—

Date	England v.	Western Australia, at Perth
Oct. 10-19	England v. Western Australia, at Perth	
Oct. 22-24	England v. West Australia (Combined), at Perth	
Oct. 30-Nov. 3	England v. South Australia, at Adelaide	
Nov. 6-10	England v. Victoria, at Melbourne	
Nov. 13-17	England v. New South Wales, at Sydney	
Nov. 20-24	England v. An Australian Eleven, at Sydney	
Nov. 27-Dec. 1	England v. Queensland, at Brisbane	
Dec. 4-9	FIRST TEST MATCH, at BRISBANE	
Dec. 12-14	England v. Queensland Country, at Ipswich	
Dec. 18-23	SECOND TEST MATCH, at SYDNEY	
Dec. 26-28	England v. New South Wales Country, at Newcastle	
Jan. 1-6	THIRD TEST MATCH, at MELBOURNE	
Jan. 8-11	England v. Tasmania, at Hobart	
Jan. 15-18	England v. Tasmania, at Launceston	
Jan. 22-26	England v. South Australia, at Adelaide	
Jan. 29-Feb. 3	FOURTH TEST MATCH, at ADELAIDE	
Feb. 6-8	England v. Victorian Country, at Geelong	
Feb. 10-11	England v. New South Wales Country, at Canberra	
Feb. 13-17	England v. New South Wales, at Sydney	
Feb. 19-23	England v. Victoria, at Melbourne	
Feb. 26-Mar. 3	FIFTH TEST MATCH, at MELBOURNE	
Mar. 5-6	England v. Victorian Country, at Benalla	



R. E. S. WYATT

YOUTH PASSED OVER

Average Age Of Team Over 29½

FAGG "BABY" OF PARTY

There is one distressing feature concerning the touring team and that is the lack of youth. The selectors have shown no particular inclination to trust the promising youngsters and as a result there are 10 out of the 17 who are 30 or over.

Here are the ages of the tourists:

G. O. Allen (Middlesex) (captain), 34; R. W. V. Robins (Middlesex), 30; K. Farnes (Essex), 25; R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick), 35; Copson (Derby), 27; Fagg (Kent), 21; Fishlock (Surrey), 29; Hammond (Gloucester), 33; Hardstaff (Notts), 25; Leyland (Yorkshire), 36; Verity (Yorkshire), 31; Worthington (Derby), 31; Barnett (Gloucester), 26; Sims (Middlesex), 32; Voce (Notts), 27; Ames (Kent), 31; and Duckworth (Lancashire), 35.

This gives an average of over 29½.

It is interesting to note that Don Bradman, who is only 27, has figured in four Test campaigns against England, besides one each against South Africa and the West Indies. S. J. McCabe, only 25, has been to England twice and to South Africa and W. A. Brown, 24, has toured England and South Africa with success.

It is just the difference of ideas once again!

FASTEST CENTURY

Leslie Ames won Sir Walter Lawrence's trophy for the fastest century in the 1936 season when he scored 108 in 68 minutes when playing for an England XI against All-India at Folkestone on September 4. Last year Gimblett, scoring 100 in his first match for Somerset, against Essex, took only 63 minutes! The Hong Kong record stands to the credit of A. R. Sutcliffe (C.S.C.C.), who reached three-figures in 21 minutes.

BRILLIANT BATTING FEATS

In consecutive Test innings in 1930 Bradman scored 8 and 131; 254 and 1; 334; 14; and 232, while in consecutive Test innings in 1928-9 Hammond scored 261 at Sydney, 200 and 32 at Melbourne and 119 not out and 177 at Adelaide.

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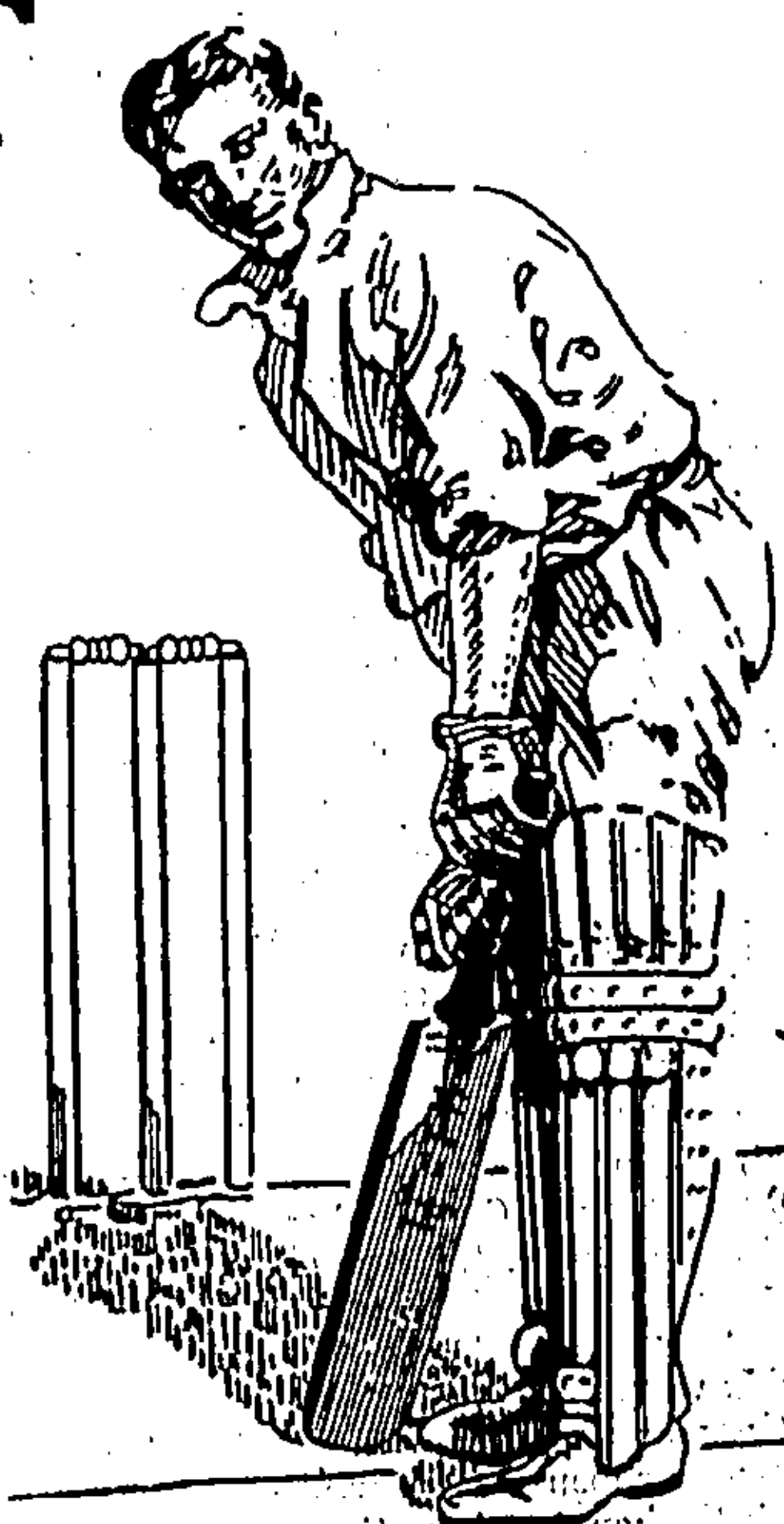
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LT. and Mrs. C. Ravenhill, who have only just returned to the Colony from a trip to Java, will soon be leaving the Colony. Lt. Ravenhill, who has taken a very prominent part in the hockey section of the H.K.S.R.A., will, we are informed, be going to the Home Establishment. Another popular Artillery officer who will be going to the Home Establishment is Lt. C. C. Garthwaite, the Interport cricketer, who will leave the Colony early in the New Year.

Mr. H. Way, the well-known local architect of the firm of Messrs. Way and Hall, celebrated his birthday last Friday. On the same day Mr. J. E. Ward of the Import and Export Department also celebrated his anniversary with a small party.

The many friends of Mrs. Nellie Tong will be interested to learn that she may be returning to the Colony in the very near future. She has been spending an extended holiday with her sister in New York and word received from her by friends here recently stated that she was looking forward to returning to the Colony again.

News comes from England, from George Arnold, the local artist, that he is studying commercial art and figure drawing at the famous "Heatherleys" School of Art. A very indifferent summer, however, has made outdoor sketching almost impossible.

Mr. J. E. Joseph, the well-known local financier, has gone away to Europe and England to escape the Hong Kong summer. He will return to the Colony towards the end of the year when it is understood, his brother, Mr. Felix Joseph, will also be back.

Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, the well-known local solicitor, who went away to Japan for a holiday some time ago returned to the Colony last Friday. Mrs. D'Almada e Castro, and their daughter, Gloria, also went to the Land of the Rising Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mackenzie are two of the many people spending a holiday in Hong Kong at the present time. Mr. Mackenzie is the President of the National Carbon Company, New York. Another member of that firm who is also in Hong Kong now is Mr. A. A. Gormely. The party is staying at the Hong Kong Hotel.



(Left) Miss Ruth Stephenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Stephenson, travelled in company with Miss Dorothy Tolan to Shanghai by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia. They will be away in Shanghai for some time. (Right) Miss Kitty Tse is a member of a very well-known and highly respected Chinese family in Hong Kong. When she was at the University a few years ago she took a very prominent part in the 'Varsity's social and sporting activities. (King's Studio).

PERSONALIA

MR. L. H. C. Cathorp, the well-known member of the Hong Kong Police Force, had his birthday last Monday, while Mr. J. G. (Joe) Meyer celebrated his anniversary on the following day. Mr. H. S. Rouse of the Public Works Department, Mrs. A. Lane, wife of the local architect, and Mr. J. C. Polson, of the Taikoo Dockyard, all had their sabbath last Wednesday.

Miss Fanny Remedios, a popular member of the Ladies' Section at Club de Recreo, has gone to Shanghai for a short holiday. She left by the s.s. President Coolidge and expects to be back here again in about two weeks' time.

Lt. Goddy, who played a great deal of cricket for the Royal Artillery at Home, and Lt. Murray, who has been in India for some time, are shortly due to arrive in the Colony. Another Officer due to come out here shortly is Lt. Hemens. All will be attached to the H.K.S.R.A.

Mr. August Weeder, from Shanghai, is on a business visit to the Colony. He is connected with the Machinery Department of Messrs. Jebsen and Company.



A daughter of Modern China, Miss Sally Lam is a talented young lady who is a very clever pianist. (King's Studio).

MR. AW BOON HAW, the well-known philanthropist, and who is about to embark on new gigantic business schemes in Kwangtung, has gone to Singapore for a short stay. Mr. Aw has very wide business interests in the Straits and his mansion there is just as famous as the Hawpar Mansion here.

Mr. R. G. Edwards Jones, well-known in business circles in Wuchow, was in the Colony for a few days last week. He stayed at the Gloucester Hotel while here.

It is learned that Mr. N. V. A. Croucher, head of the share brokers' firm bearing his name, and a prominent member of the Hong Kong Exchange, will be returning to the Colony towards the end of the year. Together with Mrs. Croucher, he is spending a prolonged holiday in England.

BIRTHDAY honours this week go to Miss Alice Ismail, who celebrates her coming-of-age to-day. Her brothers have arranged a very special party to celebrate the happy occasion and a large number of friends have been invited to attend. Incidentally, Messrs. H. J. Best, of the Public Works Department, and Mr. C. E. Watson, of Brewer's Bookshop, also celebrate their birthdays to-day.

Mr. Lam Chi-fung, who was recently decorated by the Emperor of Annam, was the guest of honour at a dinner given by a number of his friends and business associates last week to celebrate the auspicious occasion. Mr. Lam is the agent for the famous Tonkin Mine, the Charbonnages du Tonkin.

Capt. G. B. Portman, R.A., who, accompanied by Mrs. Portman, recently went away from the Colony on long leave, will not, it is learned, be returning to the Colony, having been posted to another station.

Mr. H. J. Millington, who is on the staff at the Supreme Court, will be going away on leave on October 13, together with his son Victor. They will join Mrs. Millington and Miss Hazel Millington, who are already spending a holiday in Kent.

Miss Elsie Lammert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Lammert, will be going away next Friday by the s.s. Hosang on a round trip to Japan.

Mrs. H. O. Odell, who had been holidaying in Manila, has returned to the Colony, looking very fit after her short vacation. Her sister, Mrs. A. H. Potts, is still in the Philippines but will, it is understood, be back again shortly.

The many friends of Capt. and Mrs. G. W. P. Kinn will be glad to hear that they have returned to the Colony again after two months' holiday in Shanghai and the North. They have again taken up residence at the Knutsford Hotel, Kowloon.

A prominent local resident who is leaving the Colony by the s.s. Hosang next Friday is Mr. P. M. Hodgson, a partner in the legal firm of Messrs. T'so and Hodgson. He is going on a round-trip holiday to Shanghai and Japan.

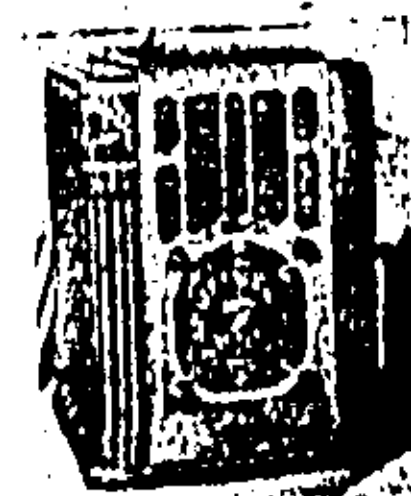
A number of local residents have booked passages on the s.s. Islami, which is sailing for Shanghai and Japan on October 1. Amongst them is Miss O. Patchett who is on the staff of the Kowloon Hospital.

Mr. H. W. Hewitt, of the Asiatic Petroleum Company, Fuel Oil Department, will be leaving the Colony within the next few days. Accompanied by Mrs. Hewitt, he will be proceeding to England, where he will spend his long leave.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Pacheco Jorge spent a short holiday in the Colony last week, staying at the Gloucester Hotel. They are on their way back to Macau, where Dr. Jorge is a very well-known lawyer, after spending their long leave in Lisbon.

The many friends of Lt. P. de N. Ramus, Royal Artillery, especially those connected with rowing, will regret to learn that this popular officer will soon be leaving the Colony, having been posted to Ceylon.

LITTLE NOTES of Great Importance



Now is the time to get a radio . . . Cool weather, when radio reception is at its best, is coming . . . And that means a lot with a Zenith 1937 model. But the INTERNATIONAL RADIO SALES AND SERVICE, 27 Hankow Road, Kowloon, can give you a lot more than just a fine set. They have fully qualified British mechanics who will give that careful and expert service which a good radio needs and deserves. Alas, the space is short . . . but, if you want to know of the wonders these people can do, write, give a ring, or just whistle to your faithful shophound.



If you have a shiny nose or oily skin, spots, pimples, wrinkles or lines, if you have dull, tired, drab, or freckled, sallow, weather-beaten skin . . . double chin, scrawny hands or shrivelled throat or what have you . . . Why have you? Simply because you don't treat your skin intelligently! Our fairy godmothers, MAIZEES, have all the magic to bring you a complexion always fresh—charming—youthful! See them and ask them all about Helena Rubinstein's cosmetics—the world's most famous beauty preparations.



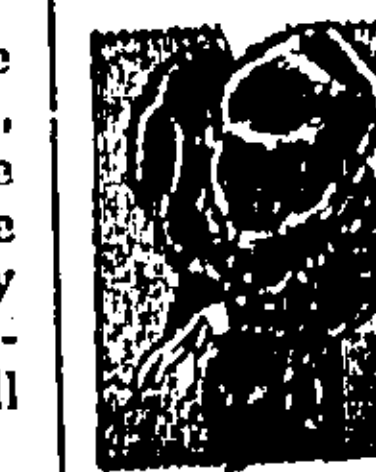
It's exciting to forecast brilliant fashion ideas . . . and we can. New colours, new silhouettes, new materials . . . skirts are shorter, hats are higher, furs are eccentric in colour and form . . . footwear is smarter. If you visit PAUL RENNET'S—the name that comes first to all discriminating women—you'll see what I mean. There'll be pleasant surprises in store for you—and all sealed with PAUL RENNET'S label of smartness. To speak of shoes . . . you'll find just what you seek, whether it's a high heel in trim suede—and heels are higher, incidentally—or a neat and comfortable walking shoe.



Do you drive around town in a horse and buggy? Do you read by candle light and wear red flannel petticoats? No, you don't . . . because you are an up-to-date, modern woman! And as a modern woman you will be interested to hear that the GRAND DISPENSARY announces the arrival of new stocks of Autumn toiletries and perfumes. Among other things there is a large and complete stock of "LUCK-STONE" and "BONCILLA" preparations and as a modern woman, or if even slightly old-fashioned, blond or brunette, you have to go to make an inspection. There are things to suit every taste and personality.



There's something wonderfully unusual about LANE, CRAWFORD'S little cocktail hats . . . what a variety of tales they tell! There are the weeniest vivid velvets—all petals, intricately woven together; soft, white wings of mercury; swirls of feathers, little cascades of flowers, and veils light as a breath. . . . And from sheer black to the most flighty shades of cherry, purple red, wine, copper, fir-green or iris. Certainly you'll find the question of what to wear to the cocktail party quite solved when you visit LANE, CRAWFORD'S this week . . . And there's nothing like them anywhere else in town.



As to furs . . . you'll be hearing a lot of the silver fox pretty soon. Single, or double rows of skins—thickly frosted with silver—swirling across the chest, and progressing over the shoulders. A kind of royal mantle that's what you'll find at DOLLY VARDEN'S. Superb shimmering things . . . Yes, the silver fox is a real aristocrat all right, from the pure white tip of his tail to the sensitive little black nose! You'll be sure not to miss seeing this lovely selection just in from England.



Every doctor in Hong Kong will tell you what a common thing it is here to have worms. They advise everybody to take a worm cure once a year. Children introduce worms into their systems more easily than grown-ups, because they chew or eat things indiscriminately. Worms are harmful, causing uneasiness and great loss in weight. WATSON'S WORM BONBONS are quite harmless, in fact, beneficial to the human system. They are made in sweet form and children like them. And only a cost of 8 cents each. Write to WATSON'S and they will send you interesting booklets about this and other troubles of childhood.



How are you doing for summer? . . . Able to cavort gaily on the beach . . . or do you have to worry about sunburn and such? Shame on you if you do . . . but cheer up. As long as you can get NOXZEMA in town you need not worry. Go and get NOXZEMA right away and enjoy the summer. And once you have bought it you will always want to have it around the house—it has so many uses. It is a real family friend. It helps your baby's chafing and rash, burns and bruises, aching and tired feet . . . All leading Dispensaries sell it. Sole Distributors: United Traders, Pedder Building.



Your husband—growing about the eternal marmalade on the breakfast table? Or the same old jams in the tarts? Let him try EMA fruit butters—an improvement on jams. And I guarantee that the family peace will be restored. EMA fruit butters, jellies, jams, and marmalades, are packed in attractive glass jars, free from "metal-flavour." They are particularly suitable for cakes, tarts, waffles, etc. And they are in the greatest variety, to name a few: Pear, Apple, Lemon, Apricot, Crab Apple, Fig, Pine-apple, Peach. Obtainable at all leading compradores and provisions.



(Left) The latest camera study of Miss Paella Lacayo, daughter of the Hon. Mr. Trinidad E. Lacayo, Consul-General for Nicaragua, and Mrs. Lacayo. (D'Asia Studio). (Right) Mrs. Ip Kwel-chung, like her husband, takes a great deal of interest in social work on behalf of the welfare of the Chinese community.

Mr. Taang Hin Chin, a well-known local Chinese broker, gave a big party at his residence in Wong Nei Cheong Road last Tuesday when he celebrated the anniversary of his birthday. There was much song and other games, and everybody present voted it a "jolly good show."

Miss Marjorie Dobson, who is on the staff of the War Memorial Nursing Home, is another of Hong Kong's younger set who is holidaying in the North. Miss Dobson left the Colony yesterday and expects to spend about six weeks in Shanghai and Peking.



(Left) Miss Dorothy Tolan, youngest daughter of Mr. D. Tolan of the Hong Kong Telephone Company, sailed by the R.M.S. Empress of Asia for a short holiday in Shanghai. (Right) Mrs. Robinson, wife of Mr. W. J. Lyn Robinson of the Eastern Extension, Australasia and China Telegraph Co. Ltd., is here seen with her infant daughter Margaret Frances. (King's Studio).



LITTLE NOTES OF GREAT IMPORTANCE



In Hong Kong we are always dressed up with nowhere to go . . . no wonder we read, read, read. But of course we don't all read the same things, and the bookshop that is good is the one that caters to all tastes. Such a place is BREWER'S BOOKSHOP. And another advantage of being their customer is that they send every order by airmail—without extra cost to you. Your book hurries back to you via Siberia and in five or six weeks time you can decide for yourself whether you agree with the reviewers or not.

KEEN COMPETITION EXPECTED IN AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

BATSMEN WHO REFUSED TO SCORE RUNS

Interport Cricket Trial Lacks Enterprise

MADAR BOWLS WELL

The first Interport cricket trial, held at the H.K.C.C. yesterday, was a most unenterprising affair in which most of the reputed batsmen, facing very mediocre bowling, attempted to show the selectors that they could stop the ball with the bat. It is to be sincerely hoped that in the second trial, next Saturday, some attempt will be made to score runs.

Four players impressed—Alec Pearce with 46 scored out of 67 in 48 minutes, C. C. Garthwaite, with 80 out of 56 in 35 minutes, and A. H. Madar and A. R. Minu with their bowling.

J. P. Williams offered a bold front to F. D. Pereira and dealt with his expressions in a very praiseworthy manner. W. H. Colledge, another candidate for opening the innings, took the opportunity of getting in some match practice and was content to watch every ball. His rival for the position of batsman-wicket-keeper, N. A. E. MacKay, was unfortunate to be run out by a grand return by F. L. Gosano, whose fielding was always brilliant, before he had settled down, but his keeping was of higher standard than Colledge's.

Out First Ball!

Eric Mitchell, who captained the victorious Colony team in Shanghai in 1932, was caught off a weak shot to the first ball of the season!

Pearce, who hit 8 boundaries in his 46, Garthwaite, who found the rails on six occasions, Madar, Williams, Minu and Pereira, who was always difficult to score off, appear certain of inclusion in the selected eleven.

Score:

MR. A. W. HAYWARD'S XI	
E. J. R. Mitchell, c R. Lee, b	1
T. A. Pearce, retired	46
T. A. Pearce, retired	46
E. F. Fincher, retired	25
C. C. Garthwaite, retired	30
A. W. Hayward, not out	10
Col. K. K. K. b Pearce	11
K. Nazarin, b Bowker	10
Extras (L.B.3, W.B. 1)	4

Total (for 6 wks. dec.) 153
Fall of the wickets: 1 (Mitchell) for 0; 2 (Colledge) for 44; 3 (Pearce) for 67; 4 (Fincher) for 123; 5 (Garthwaite) for 123; 6 (K. K. K.) for 133.

A. T. Lee, A. R. Minu and F. D. Pereira did not bat.

Bowling Analysis

	O	M	R	W
Tufnell	7	0	35	1
Gosano	6	1	16	0
Bowker	4.3	0	15	1
Hung	3	0	11	0
Lee	3	0	22	0
Madar	9	1	32	0
Pearce	5	0	18	1

MR. A. C. I. BOWKER'S XI

J. P. Williams, retired	24
N. A. E. MacKay, run out	9
D. W. Pearce, c Garthwaite, b Minu	4
A. H. Madar, retired	19
E. L. Gosano, c & b Pearce	1
W. C. Hung, c & b Pearce	12
G. Clegg-Hill, c Colledge, b Pearce	21
F. R. Zimmern, c Garthwaite, b Minu	0
R. Lee, not out	12
Tel. Tufnell, b Minu	11
Extras (B.13, L.B.3, N.B.1)	17

Total (for 9 wks.) 130
A. C. I. Bowker did not bat.
Fall of the wickets: 1 (MacKay) for 0; 2 (Pearce) for 30; 3 (Williams) for 61; 4 (Madar) for 103; 5 (Gosano) for 65; 6 (Hung) for 100; 7 (Zimmern) for 103; 8 (Clegg-Hill) for 103; 9 (Tufnell) for 130.

Bowling Analysis

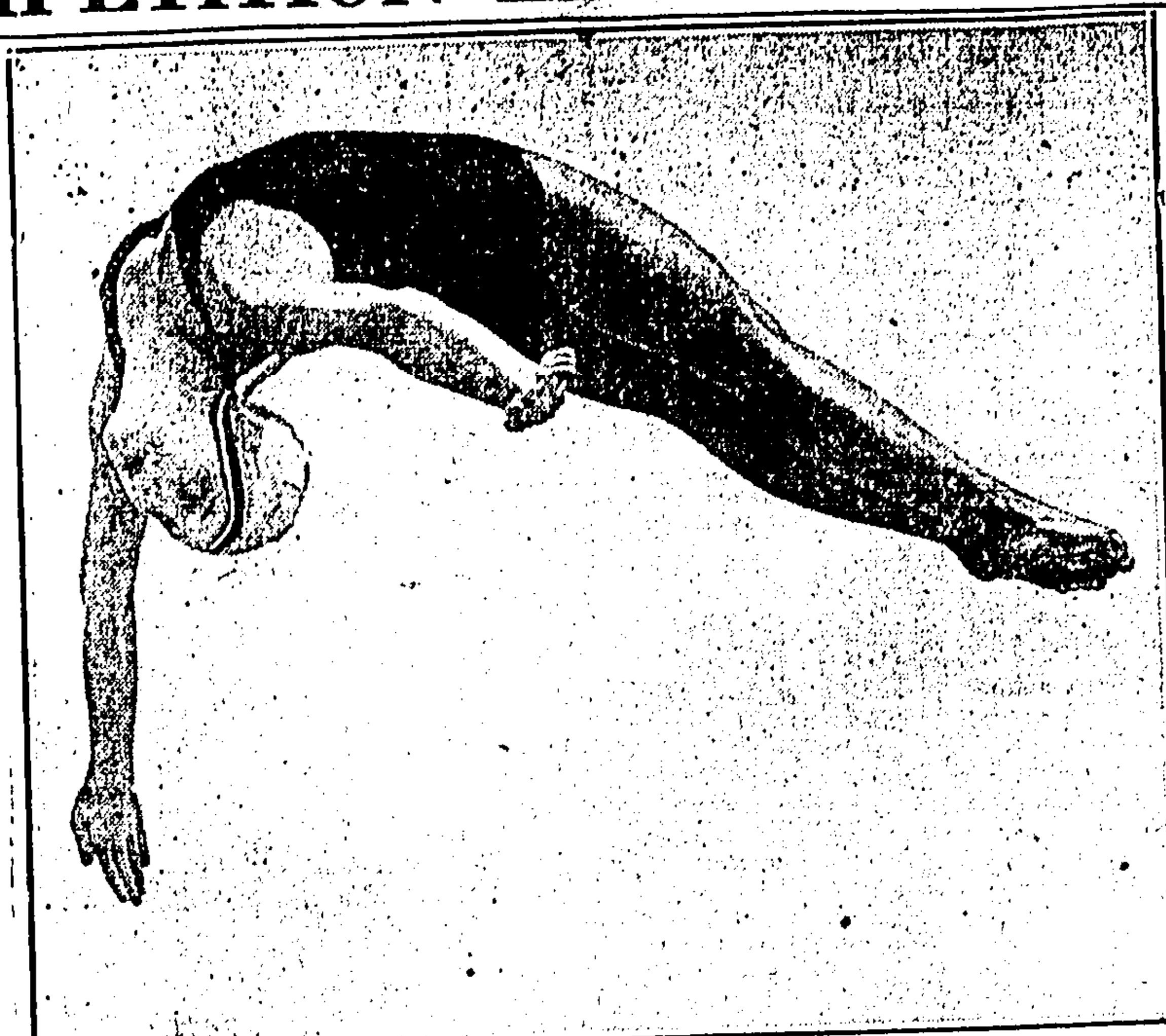
	O	M	R	W
Garthwaite	7	0	18	0
Minu	11	4	27	3
Pearce	8	0	17	0
A. T. Lee	4	1	10	0
Pearce	8	3	29	3
Nazarin	2	0	12	0

* bowled one wide ball.

SECOND DIVISION LEAGUE BOWLS MATCH TO-DAY

The Civil Service Cricket Club will meet the Police Recreation Club in the Second Division of the Lawn Bowls League at the Valley this afternoon. This fixture was postponed yesterday owing to the Police and Prison Departments' annual swimming sports.

The Public Works Recreation Club will hold their aquatic finals at the South China A.C. Pavilion, North Point, at 8 p.m. on Tuesday.



Miss Marjorie Gestring, aged 13, of Los Angeles, led a clean sweep for the U.S. women Olympic springboard divers at Berlin. She is shown in mid-air executing one of the graceful dives which gained her Olympic honours.

Best Feats By Test Players

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for 35 v Kent at Sheffield; 15 for 100 v Essex, at Westcliffe; 6 for 59 v All India (First Test) at Lord's; 7 for 35 v Glamorgan, at Hull; 8 for 42 v Notts, at Bradford; 6 for 46 v Worcester, at Leeds; 7 for 74 v Warwick, at Bradford; 6 for 74 v Hampshire, at Bournemouth; 5 for 41 v M.C.C., at Scarborough; 5 for 107 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford; 6 for 69 (for M.C.C.) v H.D.G. Leveson-Gower's XI, at Scarborough.

89 v Somerset, at Bath; 66 not out v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford; 96 not out v All India at Bradford.

Fagg (Kent): 136 v Gloucester, at Gloucester; 257 v Hampshire, at Southampton; 121 v Surrey, at Blackheath; 172 v All India, at Canterbury.

Fishlock (Surrey): 133 not out v Gloucester, at the Oval; 131 not out and 100 not out v Sussex, at the Oval; 98 v All India, at the Oval; 128 v Cambridge U., at Cambridge; 129 v Lancashire, at the Oval; 75 v Middlesex, at the Oval.

RESULTS OF PREVIOUS TESTS IN AUSTRALIA

1876-7	E. 1; A. 1.
1878-9	E. 0; A. 1.
1881-2	E. 0; A. 2; D. 2.
1882-3	E. 2; A. 2.
1884-5	E. 3; A. 2.
1886-7	E. 2; A. 0.
1887-8	E. 1; A. 0.
1891-2	E. 1; A. 2.
1894-5	E. 3; A. 2.
1897-8	E. 1; A. 4.
1901-2	E. 1; A. 4.
1903-4	E. 3; A. 2.
1907-8	E. 1; A. 4.
1911-12	E. 4; A. 1. (J. W. H. T. Douglas).
1920-1	E. 0; A. 5. (J. W. H. T. Douglas).
1924-5	E. 1; A. 4. (A. E. R. Gilligan).
1928-9	E. 4; A. 1. (A. P. F. Chapman).
1932-3	E. 4; A. 1. (D. R. Jardine).

Barnett (Gloucester): 109 v Notts, at Trent Bridge; 147 v Somerset, at Taunton; 98 v Hampshire, at Bristol; 132 v Warwick, at Bristol; 150 not out v Yorkshire, at Sheffield; 204 not out v Leicester, at Leicester; 117 v Essex, at Clacton.

5 for 31 v Somerset, at Bristol; 6 for 17 v Essex, at Clacton.

Leyland (Yorkshire): 263 v Essex, at Hull; 141 v Oxford U., at Oxford; 100 v Cambridge U., at Cambridge; 50 v All India (First Test) at Lord's; 163 not out v Surrey, at Leeds; 113 v Worcester, at Leeds; 107 v Surrey, at the Oval.

R. E. S. Wyatt (Warwick): 107 v Northants, at Peterborough; 65 (for M.C.C.) v All India, at Lord's; 109 not out v Notts, at Birmingham; 100 not out v Middlesex, at Birmingham.

10 for 138 v Middlesex, at Lord's.

Slims (Middlesex): 5 for 20 v Northants, at Lord's; 6 for 98 v

Yorkshire, at Lord's; 5 for 51 (for M.C.C.) v Surrey, at Lord's; 11 for 142 v Gloucester, at Bristol; 7 for 168 v All India (Third Test) at the Oval; 5 for 72 v Worcester, at Worcester; 6 for 45 v Surrey, at Lord's.

R. W. V. Robins (Middlesex): 5 for 40 v Essex, at Lord's; 5 for 45 v Worcester, at Lord's; 5 for 18 v All India, at Lord's; 4 for 33 v Notts, at Lord's; 5 for 78 (South v North) at Lord's; 4 for 67 v All India (First Test) at Lord's; 8 for 105 (England XI) v All India, at Folkestone; 5 for 137 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford.

75 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford.

Worthington (Derby): 174 v Oxford U., at Oxford; 85 not out v Essex, at Derby; 90 v Gloucester, at Derby; 80 v Yorkshire, at Chesterfield; 81 v Warwick, at Birmingham; 163 v Warwick, at Chesterfield; 135 v Yorkshire, at Sheffield; 128 v All India (Third Test) at the Oval; 102 v Leicester, at Oakham; 87 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford.

Copson (Derby): 12 for 52 v Surrey, at Derby; 5 for 42 v Sussex, at Chesterfield; 6 for 24 v Northants, at Northampton; 5 for 34 v Worcester, at Chesterfield; 12 for 54 v Worcester, at Worcester; 5 for 44 v All India, at Derby; 6 for 60 v Yorkshire, at Sheffield; 9 for 79 v Leicester, at Derby; 4 for 47 v Notts, at Worksop; 6 for 87 v Sussex, at Eastbourne; 4 for 24 v Northants, at Chesterfield; 6 for 81 v Somerset, at Wells.

Hardstaff (Notts): 145 v Gloucester, at Trent Bridge; 89 not out

(North v South) at Lord's; 121 v Warwick, at Trent Bridge; 78 v Kent, at Trent Bridge; 112 v Leicester, at Leicester; 103 and 70 v Essex, at Clacton; 97 (for M.C.C.) v H.D.G. Leveson-Gower's XI, at Scarborough; 94 v All India (Second Test) at Old Trafford.

Vece (Notts): 5 for 57 v Middlesex, at Lord's; 5 for 54 v Essex, at Trent Bridge; 7 for 40 v Kent, at Tonbridge; 6 for 37 v Hampshire, at Basingstoke; 5 for 43 v Derby, at Ilkeston.

K. Farnes (Essex): 7 for 84 v Middlesex, at Colchester; 5 for 20 v Derby, at Chelmsford; 6 for 69 v Kent, at Southend; 6 for 73 v Notts, at Clacton.

97 v Somerset, at Taunton.

Ames (Kent): 120 v Yorkshire, at Dover; 145 v All India, at Canterbury; 107 (England XI) v All India, at Folkestone; 94 v M.C.C., at Folkestone.

THREE ENGLISH PLAYERS TO SCORE TEST CENTURIES

Ames (1), Hammond (7), including two in one match at Adelaide in 1928-9 and two double centuries. Leyland (4), including one in his debut Test, have scored Test centuries against Australia.

HIGHEST INDIVIDUAL SCORES

The highest individual score in a Test match between England and Australia is 334 by Don Bradman at Leeds in 1930 and the highest in Australia is 287 by R. B. Foster (England) at Sydney in 1903-4.

RELAY RACE MOST OPEN IN YEARS

ROZA-PEREIRA'S BID FOR HALF MILE TITLE

MCCARTHY'S FINE CHANCE IN 50 YARDS FREE-STYLE

Next Tuesday will see the commencement of the 1936 Colony Swimming Championship Finals in the Victoria Recreation Club pool and several new records will probably be established in spite of the lack of opposition to present holders in several of the events. The Diving, which has hitherto been held by the Victoria Recreation Club, is very much more open this year in view of the regrettable absence of Ed. de Roza, the Colony and Interport champion.

Wilfred Lawrence, the Colony's best swimmer and present holder of the 100, 220, 440, and 880 Yards free-style events, and the 100 Yards back-stroke, is expected to lower his present Colony mark for the 100 Yards free-style, in which he will receive all the necessary "push" from Norman Lee, of South China, who fully extended him during the heats last Friday.

One of the big disappointments of the championships has been Lionel Roza-Pereira's non-entry in the 220 and 440 Yards free-style events, although he is a strong favourite for the Diving Championship and should take second place in the Half Mile. One of the prettiest swimmers in the Colony, we learn Roza-Pereira has been solely concentrating on the 880, in which case a fine race should result between he and Lawrence, while L/Cpl. Pearce, the Army champion, is expected to take third place.

Lau Po-hei, one of the University's brilliant quartette, is expected to win the 100 Yards back-stroke, but, although he is the Interport holder, his task will not be a very easy one next Tuesday, in spite of the fact that Wilfred Lawrence will be competing in the 100 Yards free-style championship prior to this event.

Taylor, of the East Lanes, who gave Lawrence a very good fight in the heats last Friday, is expected to take third place.

The 100 Yards free-style event should provide a new record and a splendid race is anticipated between Lawrence and Norman Lee, while H. L. Ozorio and Rfm. Hamilton should fight it out for third place.

Reed Favoured

Throwing the Polo-Hall Championship, which has long since been done away with as an Interport contest, should see several good men in action, among these being Frank Reed, the former Shanghai champion, who is one of the favourites, although Cpl. McCarthy (East Lanes), M. Chan do V. Soares (V.R.C.), and Chan Lul-kie (C.B.C.), will offer stern challenges.

Wednesday evening will feature the only ladies' championship event—the 100 Yards free-style.

VERITY'S 9 FOR 12

Verity, although beaten by Jack Mercer (Glamorgan), who took all the Worcester first innings wickets for 61 in a total of 143, had the very fine "bag" of 9 for 12 against Kent at Sheffield this year, securing 15 wickets in the match for 35 runs!

There are four newcomers to the Relay, the Army, the European Y.M.C.A. "A" and "B" teams and South China.

The V.R.C., the Army and the Y.M.C.A. "A" team all stand a very good chance of entering the Final, which takes place on Wednesday, and to forecast the winner at this moment would be difficult in view of the fact that the respective swimmers for all the teams have not yet been nominated.

London's Chances Bright

There are only four entrants for the Long Plunge title, which will probably be won by L/Cpl. G. London, of the East Lanes, while Sergt. W. Stopford, of the same unit, should come second.

The Boys' (15 years and under) championship of the Colony, which also takes place next Friday, should be a very open event.

The final night of the championships has the best programme, there being three very interesting races to be decided, namely: the 50 Yards free-style, the 100 Yards breast-stroke, the Diving and the 440 Yards free-style.

SCOUTS HOLD SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Keen Competition In "Y" Pool

D. GAUBERT EXCELS

The Boys Scouts and Wolf Cubs of the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Group held their annual swimming sports in the European Y.M.C.A. swimming pool yesterday afternoon before a large gathering of spectators, some very good racing being witnessed.

D. Gaubert, with five wins, was the most successful Senior Scout, while C. Dixon, with three wins, was the most successful Junior Scout. D. Warren, with four wins, and D. Hayden, with two, led respectively in the Cubs and "Under 11" sections.

C.M.G. Maddick was in charge of the gala and must be congratulated on the smooth running of the function, while G.S.M., A. Grad, A.C.M., W. Shaw, D.S.R.S., J. Rawe, Sea Scout P.L. A. Maddick and Sea Scout L. Millington lent valuable assistance.

Results were as follows:
Junior Scouts' 50 Yards free-style—1. C. Dixon; 2. G. Smith; 3. R. Smith.
Wolf Cubs' 25 Yards free-style—1. D. Warren; 2. R. Clark; 3. J. Harman and P. Hopkins dead-heat.

"Under 11" 25 Yards free-style—1. D. Hayden; 2. P. Venables; 3. F. Huxley; 4. A. Warren.
Senior Scouts' 50 Yards free-style—1. D. Gaubert; 2. A. Fancey; 3. L. Pollatt.

Junior Scouts' 25 Yards on back, any style—1. C. Dixon; 2. W. Mann; 3. A. Deacon.
Senior Scouts' 50 Yards on back, any style—1. D. Gaubert; 2. A. Fancey; 3. F. Crabbe.

Wolf Cubs' 25 Yards on back, any style—1. D. Warren; 2. P. Hopkins; 3. R. Clark; 4. J. Harman.
Junior Scouts' Balloon Race—1. G. Smith; 2. C. Dixon; 3. R. Smith.
Senior Scouts' 100 Yards free-style—1. D. Gaubert; 2. J. Hamon.
Wolf Cubs' Diving—1. R. Clark; 2. J. Harman; 3. D. Warren; 4. P. Hopkins.

"Under 11" Diving—1. J. Lock; 2. F. Huxley; 3. A. Warren; 4. D. Hayden.
Junior Scouts' 25 Yards on back, arms folded—1. C. Dixon; 2. G. Smith; 3. A. Deacon.
Senior Scouts' 25 Yards Life-Saving Race—1. D. Gaubert; 2. F. Crabbe; 3. J. Hamon.

Wolf Cubs' Obstacle Race, 25 Yards—1. D. Warren; 2. R. Clark; 3. P. Hopkins; 4. J. Harman.
"Under 11" Obstacle Race—1. D. Hayden; 2. P. Venables; 3. A. Warren; 4. F. Huxley.
Junior Scouts' Diving—1. G. Smith; 2. C. Dixon; 3. R. Thompson.
Senior Scouts' Diving—1. M. Stephenson; 2. J. Hamon; 3. D. Gaubert.

Wolf Cubs' Non-Swimmers' Race—1. J. Badger; 2. A. Day; 3. J. McCormick; 4. D. Brundell; 5. A. Johns; 6. A. Brundell.
Wolf Cubs' 50 Yards free-style—1. D. Warren; 2. R. Clark; 3. J. Harman; 4. P. Hopkins.
Junior Scouts' Plunge—1. G. Smith; 2. C. Dixon; 3. A. Day; 4. L. Pollatt; 5. F. Crabbe; 6. D. Gaubert.
Senior Scouts' Umbrella and Life-Race—1. F. Crabbe; 2. M. Stephenson; 3. J. Hamon.
Wolf Cubs' Inter-Six Relay—1. D. Warren (Blue six); 2. P. Hopkins (White six).

The last named event will be a walk-over for Lawrence, whose only rivals are Pto. Taylor and Pto. Hulme, of the East Lancashire Regiment, neither of whom are capable of extending the champion.

McCarthy's Bid

The 50 Yards free-style, in the absence of L. Oliveira, will be quite an open affair, although Cpl. McCarthy, of the East Lanes, by reason of the fact that he returned two good times on consecutive days—26 2-5 secs. for the Army Keen Competition . . . (3) title on Thursday last, and 25 4-5 secs. in the Colony heats last Friday, is a slight favourite, while H. L. Ozorio, of the University, who came second in McCarthy's heat, also stands a good chance. R. Goldman (Y.M.C.A.) and Lieut. A. J. Lewis (Royal Welch Fusiliers) are good outsiders.

The 100 Yards breast-stroke championship of the Colony is likely to be won by another Chinese, Wong Iu-man, who is a worthy successor to Kwok Chung-hang. Wong has been practising very hard and, in view of E. M. Marques' poor form recently, he should win. Filides, of the East Lanes, and Yeung Yuk-wa, providing he is in the Colony at the time, have good outside chances.

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Local Share Market**Messrs. Harriman's Weekly Report**

Messrs. G. A. Harriman & Co.'s weekly share report and market review, issued at noon yesterday states:—

Most active trading is to be reported during the week elapsed, with dealings evenly divided between Hong Kong and Manila shares. The upward movement has continued in practically all local stocks and shares, Utilities coming in for the lion's share of the buying attention. Hong Kong Electric exchanged up to 56 cum dividend, and close with buyers bidding 54½, ex the \$1 interim just paid. China Lights were heavily bought round \$12.70 and continued demand has since brought the end price up to \$14 cash and \$14.20 October. Buyers are keenly enquiring for Forries at 92. Wharves at \$108. Providents (Old) at \$1.95, and Telephones at \$29.25. Trams have been an erratic market, swayed by rumours, first taken by active bidding up to \$14.15 cash, and subsequently falling back to \$12.30, but recovering sharply towards the close to \$13 cash and \$13.20 buyers October. Dairies are on offer at \$22 ex and Ropes over \$4. Cements have been a good market up to \$11.80 cash and \$12/12/20 October. Small business passed in Constructions (new) at 47 cts. and there are closing buyers at this rate. Entertainments are wanted at \$3.25 and Vibro Piling at about \$3. Hotels have reacted slightly from last week's firmness to a closing quotation of \$5.90/6.00 with a fair size parcel transacted at \$6.10 October. Of Sterling descriptions Banks are now \$1610 and Unions \$580, Hong Kong Insurance wanted at \$252 with sellers at \$255. The fashion in Manila shares seems to change like that for ladies' hats. First one share is supported and carried to new high level. This is then left to remain unchanged for several days and another almost dormant stock is taken in hand and buyers rush in for shares. Trading has again been exceptionally heavy and the average of closing quotations is considerably above that of last week. Antamoks after fairly large sales round \$5.40 have climbed to \$6.20. Atoks are higher at \$1.23 ex rights and Big Wedge have been taken at 83 cents. Bagulo Gold had a sharp end of the week rise to 68 cents, but closed below best at 63 cents middle. Suyocs were an outstanding feature, rising 45c during the week. These also closed below best at \$1.38. Benguet Explorations were active up to 50 cents and Demonstrations were bought up to \$1.65. Consolidated Mines slipped to 9½ cts, but close at 10½ cts buyers. Masbate, Rogons, San Mauricos and United Paracales are all in keen demand at higher prices. At close the market is very firm all round, both in Hong Kong & Manila stocks and a continuance of the present activity may be looked for, as sentiment is generally very bullish. Furthermore buying is accelerating due to the ever growing confidence in the new Chiang Kai Shek regime in Canton and it is more than apparent that there is a great deal of outside capital finding its way into our market.

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YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following was the list of local share quotations issued yesterday:—

Banks

H.K. Bank \$1610 sa.
 H.K. (Lon. Reg.) \$102½ n.
 Chartered Bank \$15½ n.
 Mercantile Bank A. and B. \$31¼ n.
 Mercantile Bank C. \$14¼ n.
 Bank of East Asia \$76 b.

Insurance

Canton Ins. \$270 sa.
 Union Ins. \$575 b. 580 sa.
 China Underwriters \$1 n.
 China Fire Ins. \$463 n.
 H.K. Fire Ins. \$255 n.
 International Assoc. Sh. \$3¼ n.

Shipping

Douglases \$30 n.
 H.K. Steamboats \$4 n.
 Indo-Chinas (Pref.) \$30 n.
 Indo-Chinas (Def.) \$20 n.
 Shells (Bearer) 110/7½ n.
 Union Waterboats \$12 n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. and K. Wharves \$100 sa.
 \$108½ sa.
 H.K. and W. Docks \$13¼ n.
 Providents (old) \$1.95 b., \$2.05 sa.

Providence (New) 20 cts. n.
 Hong Kew \$185 n.
 New Engineering Sh. \$4 n.
 Shanghai Docks Sh. \$81½ n.

Mining

Kilan Mining Ad. 10/- n.
 Langkats (Single) Sh. \$3¼ n.
 S'hai Exploration Sh. \$2 n.
 Shanghai Loans Sh. \$2 n.
 Raubs \$11.60 b.
 Venz: Goldfield \$4¼ b.
 Antamoks \$5.80 b., \$5.92 sa.
 Atoks \$1.24 sa.

Bagulo Gold 65 cts. b., 64/71 cts. sa.

Balates \$24 n.
 Benguet Consol. \$24 n.
 Benguet Exploration 50 cts. b., 50/51 cts. sa.

Big Wedge 79 cts. b., 85 cts. sa.

Consolidated Mines 10½ cts. b., 11 cts. sa.

Demonstrations \$1.65 b., \$1.60/68 sa.

Gold Creeks 55 cts. n.
 Gold River 12 cts. n.
 Ipo Gold 38 cts. n.
 Itogons \$3.68 n.
 I.X.L. \$3.70 n.

Mambulao 90 cts. n.
 Masbate \$1.06 b., \$1.06/08 sa.
 Northern Mining 59/55½ cts. sa.

Paracale Gumaus \$1.19 n.
 Salacot Mining 19½ n.
 San Mauricio \$4.60 n.
 Santa Rosa 14 cts. sa.
 Suyoc Consol \$1.36/39 sa.
 United Paracales \$2.90 b.
 Grove \$4.23/32 sa.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H.K. and S. Hotels \$5¼ b.
 H.K. Lands \$40 b., \$40¼/40 sa.
 H.K. 4% Debentures 105½ n.
 Shanghai Lands Sh. \$13 n.
 Metropolitan Lands Sh. \$10 n.
 Humphreys \$9¼ n.
 H.K. Realities \$5.60 n.
 Chinese Estates \$80 n.
 China Realities Sh. \$4 n.
 China Debentures Sh. \$60 n.

Public Utilities

H.K. Tramways \$12.60 sa.
 Peak Trams (old) \$6¼ n.
 Peak Trams (new) \$2¼ n.
 Star Ferries \$91¼ b.
 Yaumati Forries \$21¼ b.
 C. Lights (Old) \$13¼ b.
 C. Light (New) \$10¼ b., \$10.60 sa.

H.K. Electrics \$54½ b., 54½/75 sa.

Macao Electrics \$20 n.
 Sandakan Lights \$8.30 n.
 Telephones (Old) \$29 b.
 Telephones (New) \$9¼ b.
 China Buses Sh. \$11¼ n.
 Singapore Traction 29/- n.
 Singapore Pref. 28/- n.

Industrials

Malabon Sugars \$9½ n.
 Cald, Macg. (Ord.) Sh. \$19½ n.
 Cald, Macg. (Pref.) Sh. \$15 n.
 Canton Ices \$2.20 b.
 Cements \$11.70 b., \$11.70 sa.
 H.K. Ropes \$4.10 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms \$21¼ n.
 Watson \$4.85 n.
 Lane, Crawford \$8¼ n.
 Mackintoshes \$5 n.
 Sinceres \$8 n.
 Wm. Powells 40 cts. n.
 Wing On (H.K.) \$50 n.

Cotton Mills

Ewo Cottons Sh. \$8¼ b.
 Shanghai Cottons (old) Sh. \$70 n.
 Shanghai Cottons (new) Sh. \$39¼ n.
 Zong Sing \$118 n.
 Wing On Textiles Sh. \$25 n.
 Miscellaneous

Entertainments \$5 n.
 S. C. Enterprises \$1.35 n.

ANGLO-TURKISH TRADE**New Agreement In Force****FROZEN FUNDS RELEASED**

London, Yesterday.

On September 2 the new Trade and Clearing Agreement, the text of which was published last night, was signed between the United Kingdom and Turkey. It comes into force on September 17 and replaces the Trade and Payments Agreement signed on June 4, 1935.

The Articles relating to trade repeat the substance of the corresponding Articles of the agreement of June 1935, but the effect of the provisions for payment is to place Anglo-Turkish trade in future on a full clearing basis. Of the sums received by the clearing office 70 per cent. will be used for the settlement of debts in respect of United Kingdom goods exported to Turkey, and 30 per cent. will be placed at the free disposal of the Central Bank of Turkey.

Provision is made for compensatory transactions involving an exchange of certain goods between Turkey and the United Kingdom, and also for the import of certain Turkish goods into the United Kingdom in settlement of outstanding trade debts.

The effect of the new agreement should be materially to reduce the delays in payment which are at present experienced by United Kingdom traders, as is shown by the fact that over £1,000,000 was blocked in Turkey awaiting payment to United Kingdom creditors at the end of August.—British Wireless Service.

BANKNOTES IN CIRCULATION**Returns From Various Banks**

The following returns of the Average Amount of Banknotes in circulation and of Hong Kong Government Certificates of Indebtedness in Hong Kong during the month ended August 31, are published in the Government Gazette:—

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China: Average amount, \$24,585,167; Government Certificates of Indebtedness, \$8,300,000 (in addition Sterling Securities are deposited with the Crown Agents valued at £840,916);

Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation: Average amount, \$133,426,997; Government Certificates of Indebtedness, \$118,235,834.85 (in addition Sterling Securities are deposited with the Crown Agents and Straits Government valued at £3,285,000);

Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.: Average amount \$3,534,838; Government Certificates of Indebtedness, \$2,289,500 (in addition Securities are deposited with the Crown Agents valued at £190,000, consisting of 4½ per cent. Conversion War Loan 1940-44, the latest market price of which was 108½-109).

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, Yesterday: The Reichsmark was quoted yesterday without guarantee at: New York 40.23; Paris, 610; Amsterdam, 59.31; and London, 12.585. Paris quoted the Pound sterling at 76.81 to 76.84, and the U.S. dollar at 15.189 to 15.191.—Trans-Ocean Service.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, Yesterday.—The total amount applied for in tenders for £50,000,000 worth of Treasury bills was £75,765,000. The average rate per cent. for bills at three months was 10/7.39d, against 10/9.40d, a week ago.—British Wireless Service.

MACAO "Greyhounds" \$2 n.

Constructions (old) \$1¼ n.
 Constructions (new) 50 cts. n.
 Vibro Piling \$32 b.
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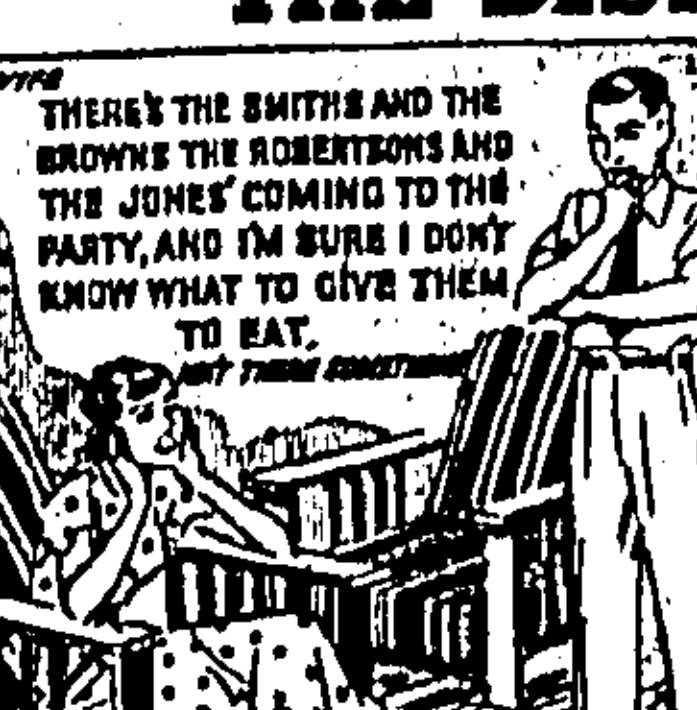
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The PASSING HOUR
by A-N-M

Dr. Francis C. Laubach, Ph.D., the apostle of "Reading without Tears" — how false was the title of that old lesson book which was the bugbear of at least two English generations! — has agreed to explain his methods of phonetic teaching at the hall of the St. Stephen's Girls' College at 5.30 p.m. next Wednesday. Dr. Laubach is not a theorist, but a teacher who has had outstanding success in India and the Philippines in opening up the pleasures of reading to thousands of illiterates to whom the printed page was merely a mystery. His most recent campaign has been among the Moros of the Philippines, who had never previously been considered to have any interest in literacy. Spanish is more phonetically spelled than English, and the Spanish of the Philippines is a simplified language compared with the mother-tongue, and the Moros speak a still more restricted vocabulary. With a completely phonetic transliteration the people of the island of Lanao can learn to read his newspaper *Lanao Progress* in three days or so, and as all new literates believe all that they see in print, his influence has become very widespread. Of course, here we are more interested in the problem of how to get at the illiterate Chinese, but Dr. Laubach is no stranger to the work of Dr. James Yen and the "thousand-character" system. The method is based on taking a few key words well known to the pupils. The syllables are taken in order as indicating vowel sounds, and when the first pupil has learned one word he teaches it to the rest of the class before he goes on to the next. Literacy spreads like the pestilent "chain letter," in geometrical progression.

MADRID GOVT. NOT CO-OPERATING ASPHYXIATING GASES TO BE USED

ULTIMATUM TO SAN SEBASTIAN

St. Jean de Luz, Yesterday.

No steps with regard to the possible use of poison-gas by the combatants in Spain are likely to be taken by the Powers at present. Dr. Branting, the former Swedish Premier, on his return from Madrid, declared that the insurgents were preparing to employ asphyxiating gases against the Government forces.

Although the British Government had asked the British Ambassador, Sir Henry Chilton, to convene the diplomatic corps to consider the whole question of the possible use of poison-gas, no result was reached at the meeting on Thursday. The Italian Ambassador stated that it was impossible to deal with the matter since the Madrid Government did not think it worth while to follow the efforts of the diplomatic corps to humanise the war. In the circumstances the diplomatic corps considers that no overtures could well be made to the insurgent junta at Burgos on the matter.

Madrid: About 1,000 men, women and children holding out against the Government forces at Alcazar, Toledo, are determined to fight to the death. They asked the besiegers to send a priest in order that they might die as Christians. The request was granted, but the bombardment, which had already demolished three-quarters of the fortress, was resumed upon the priest's entrance.

Representations To Portugal

London: The British Government has instructed its Ambassador at Lisbon to support urgently and strongly the further representations made by the French Government at Lisbon, in the hope of persuading Portugal to participate in the international committee on non-intervention in Spain. The committee meets again in London at 4 p.m. on Monday.

This is the fourth time within a week that Britain has made representations. It is not thought

SABOTAGE ON AMERICAN CRUISER

Deliberate Attempt To Set Fire To Ship

New York, Yesterday.

It is revealed that a small fire occurred on the United States cruiser *Indianapolis* on August 25 while she was being repaired in the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

It is declared that the outbreak was undoubtedly deliberate. Two nails were found driven through the power cable, causing a short-circuit.

The United States Navy Department has begun an investigation.—Reuter.

that Portugal is likely to weaken its ties with France and Britain, particularly in face of the renewed German colonial demands, but in the event of difficulty it is unofficially suggested that the next meeting of the committee will have to consider applying the non-intervention agreement to the whole Iberian peninsula.—Reuter.

MOLA'S ULTIMATUM

Hendaye: General Mola sent an ultimatum to the Government authorities threatening to bomb San Sebastian yesterday afternoon unless it surrendered.

Miguelde Cervantes' Crew Desert

Rabat: The insurgents, broadcasting from Corunna, assert that the Government cruiser Miguelde Cervantes was so badly damaged by insurgent bombing at Malaga that the crew has deserted.

GERMAN DECISION

Nuremberg: Over 3,000 leaders of Nazis organisations throughout the world attended the Congress of Germans living abroad: Herr Hitler's Deputy, Herr Hess, speaking at a ceremony in honour of seven Germans killed in Spain, said that the events in that country had shown that Germans abroad were no longer protected. Germany's new warships would arrive to protect them in case of necessity.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

AMBASSADORS' PARLEY

Hendaye: The question whether the Nationalist Government in Burgos is to be warned not to use poison-gas in a collective note by the foreign diplomats was discussed at a conference at St. Jean de Luz yesterday, when the British Ambassador suggested such a step. In view of the assertion of the Swedish Socialist Senator, Dr. Branting, that the Nationalists intend to use poison-gas against the loyalists, this step was considered, but the Italian Ambassador recommended refraining from such a warning, as Dr. Branting's assertion was not admissible as evidence.

It was likewise decided to refrain from taking any steps in connection with the execution of hostages, since this might be taken as an unfriendly act and not be in keeping with the neutrality agreement.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Paris: The Spanish Nationalist Government in Burgos has decided to take drastic steps against such correspondents as still refer to the Nationalists as "Rebels" and the adherents of the Madrid Government as "Loyalists." — Trans-Ocean Service.

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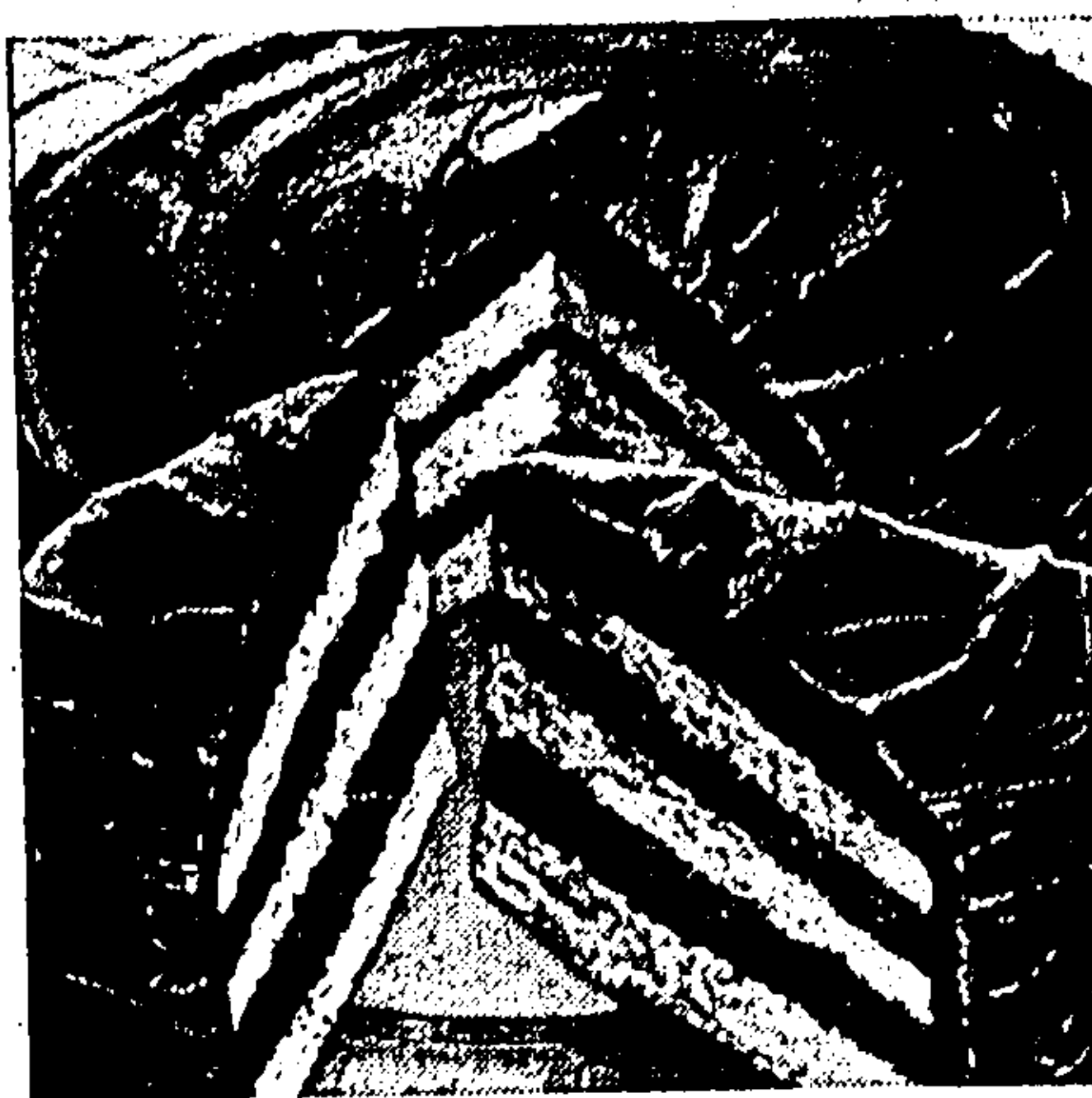


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ENGLISH SPELLING

WOULD it be possible to invent some method of equally swift instruction in English? Mr. Reynolds, with his enthusiasm for "Basic English," has left us, and we know not whether he left any disciples behind him. What the illiterate wants is really a combination of Basic English with phonetic spelling. But would it be recognisable as English? We criticise Chinese as requiring an effort of memory for each character, and putting far too great a strain on that faculty. But we ourselves live in at least a semi-glassed house, from which verbal ballistics are only to be indulged in with great discretion. What would a foreign illiterate make of the sentence "though a tough cough plough me through?" Only those who have tried innovations are aware of the furious prejudices he must encounter, who begins any simplification. A London editor wrote a paragraph in which he advocated the omission of letters that are not pronounced, and swore that now and henceforth he would always write "rumor." The next day, when he glanced at his paper, he found that the proof-reader had corrected the word to "rumour."

OUR VOCABULARY

A PART from spelling, the spread of our very composite language to many lands is increasingly raising the question which is the title of a recent book — "Is there an English Language?" Ten years ago Mr. H. L. Mencken wrote a book, the object of which was to rescue "American" from being a mere dialect of English. He has published an entirely rewritten edition this year in which he says that that question has answered itself. English, he says, is now a dialect of American. Sir William Craigie, who edited some of the last volumes of the "New English Dictionary" at Oxford, is now busy in Chicago making a complementary dictionary of American—English. This is no matter of slang or slangisms. It has long been recognised that many words and forms carelessly taken as American — like "gotten," for instance — are words taken out by the early settlers that dropped out in the land of their origin. But there is a whole list of words of trans-Atlantic origin — such as "influential" — that we have come to look upon as authentic English. It seems likely that if ever Eng-

lish films become as popular across the ocean as American films are in England it will become an absurdity to make any distinction of language merely on geographical grounds.

A LINGUISTIC ORGANISM

WE have, of course, an English Academy, but it concerns itself with learned researches that are of interest in the classroom but not in the market place. The idea of any such organisation exercising control over the spoken language is absurd. The rather autocratic B.B.C. has perforce had to exercise some censorship on pronunciation, and it keeps a list of forbidden words, but its decisions are hotly debated by the learned and entirely disregarded by everybody else. The salvation of the language is that all languages are strongly entrenched in tradition and informed with a living energy seem to have a force of their own, regardless of conscious control, which rejects newcomer words and constructions that are alien to its spirit. The word "Journey" came to us from French, and was duly adopted. Two other words that mean essentially the same thing, have also found a lodgment—one from South Africa, "trek," one from Central Africa, "safari" — but with an unmistakable nuance of meaning that prevents any confusion. No one would talk of going a trek or on safari if he meant travelling by train. Contrariwise, a familiar African method of saying goodbye that was universal in England for a few years — "so long" — has simply dropped out. None but die-hard Tories would deny that many of the most modern American expressions that have only come in with the talkies are more pithy and emphatic than the expressions they have displaced, and when their novelty, which causes them to be used with a semi-comic intention, has worn off, they will either become assimilated and continue, or will drop out in the same way. Another illustration would be the words of which only about one in five would be employed to-day. Provided the two tests are that the new word expresses a shade of meaning which no other does, or expresses it more vigorously, there is nothing to grumble about.

FOOTBALL AGAIN!

CLUB & KOWLOON SHOW SIGNS OF PROMISE

"DOUBLE" FOR EAST LANCS.

INDICATIONS of a good soccer season to come were given on the island and the mainland yesterday, when four friendly matches were played, the East Lancashire Regiment triumphing over the Club seniors at the Valley by the odd goal in nine, despite the fact the Club attack shone, while the soldiers' juniors won by seven clear goals after being held to a goalless first half.

On the mainland, Kowloon opened their season with a fine win over the Royal Welch Fusiliers by the odd goal in five, but their juniors were trounced to the tune of five clear goals by an experimental side, which included three former senior division players. On the whole, both the leading civilian clubs gave promise of better things to come and the Hong Kong Football Club will definitely be a formidable force in the senior League, despite yesterday's defeat.

KOWLOON JUNIORS OUTPLAYED

FUSILIERS GO NAP IN PRATICE GAME

HARRISON SCORES "HAT-TRICK"

The Kowloon Juniors proved no match for a Royal Welch Fusiliers' junior eleven at Chatham Road yesterday and were defeated by five goals to nil, the half-time score being three goals to nil.

Mackenzie, at right-half, Broadbridge, at inside-right, and Coelho, at inside-left, were newcomers to the civilian team the first mentioned making an impressive debut, although he has still to find his feet in League soccer. Broadbridge has a good idea of the game, but is not forceful enough in his methods, although it must be admitted that he was given practically no support by White, the right-wing.

New Custodian

Olsen, a newcomer in goal, was safe and could not help the goals scored against him, being poorly supported by the two backs, Humphreys and Willis, who were very erratic and who very rarely covered their opponents. Harkin, in the pivotal berth, played a constructive game as far as he was allowed, while Boyd was not given much chance against much younger and faster opponents.

The soldiers fielded two newcomers in Stride, in goal, who only touched the ball once in the first half, and not many more occasions in the second, and Vale, at right-back, who was safe and a "first-time" exponent.

In Class Of Their Own

Wanklyn, at right-half, and Hughes and Harrison, the right-wing combination, were formerly members of the First Division team, and were in a class of their own, while the rest of the team were better than their opponents man for man.

Talbot played for 10 minutes in the junior game pending the arrival of Harrison, who was late, and during this period opened the scoring for the Fusiliers.

Harrison relieved Talbot and was no sooner on the field than he had added his first goal and the team's second. He scored their third just before the interval and completed his "hat-trick" in the second half. Cresty added the final goal just before the final whistle.

Fusiliers: Stride; Vale and Thomas; Wanklyn, Cresty and Jones; Hughes, Harrison, Bumster, Sullivan and Davies.

YUGOSLAVIA AND RUMANIA

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ECONOMIC MATTERS

The semi-official Vreme writes that at the meeting of the Yugoslav and Rumanian Premier all the important economic matters about which negotiations had been conducted for years were settled satisfactorily in the briefest space of time. After M. Stoyadinovich had regulated the iron and copper production at home he had now secured a supply of the last-remaining raw stuff needed by the Yugoslav army, namely, petroleum. — Trans-Ocean Service.

The prizes for the spot waits at the weekly dance of the Health and Strength Club held at the Hotel Cecil last night were won by Mr. Meredith and Miss Mason.

The friendly football game between the Hong Kong Football Club and the East Lancashire Regiment on the Club ground yesterday produced a higher standard of football than would be expected for the first game of the season and resulted in a win for the soldiers by the odd goal in nine after they had been led by 4 goals to 2 shortly after the interval.

The club forwards displayed good combination and understanding throughout the game, being particularly good in the opening half. Their wingers, Fowler and Bickford, were prominent with some speedy runs down the wing and accurate centres across the goalmouth, while both were quick to shoot when the occasion demanded.

Good Passing Bouts

Drown, Elliot and Wilson, the inside trio, were often seen in some nice passing bouts. Wilson was the outstanding forward, his passes invariably finding one of his team mates, while his sweeping passes to the wings after he had drawn a man out of position made the wingers' work easier.

In the Club Intermediate line, Forrow was the best. His head-work was good and he tackled well. In the latter part of the game, however, he was often beaten by Lawton and Sandford.

Skinner, at right-half, found Riding and Smith demanding all his attention, while on the other wing E. Strange, while a hard-worker, was inclined to hang on to the ball a bit too long when he could have distributed it to better advantage.

Nicholls Does Well

Nicholls, who came into the team in place of Hill, who is injured, played well, his robust tackling often preventing the soldiers' forwards from becoming dangerous. In goal, Rodger was safe as usual.

The East Lanes. took more time to settle than the Club. Their halves were often in difficulties with the Club forwards, but in the latter part of the game they played well and kept playing their forwards with passes.

Lawton, at centre-forward, was a forceful leader. Sandford worked hard throughout and combined well with Griffen, and it was from this pair that most of the danger to the Club originated. Griffen, on the right, did not show up to any great advantage in the first half, but in the closing minutes of the game he often evaded E. Strange and sent across numerous centres, from one of which Lawton scored the winning goal.

Oxford's Lapse

Swain and Steele covered each other well and cleared well, while Oxford, in goal, brought off some good saves, though he was at fault with the second goal.

The East Lanes. opened the score through Gorman from a penalty, but the Club equalised soon after when Steele deflected a shot from Wilson into the net. Fowler gave the Club the lead with a hard grounder, which he followed up, causing Oxford to take his attention off the ball for a moment and let it pass him. Gorman again scored from a penalty against Skinner for a foul.

The Club scored twice early in the second half through Elliot and Wilson. Lawton then scored with a hard drive and Smith later hit the underneath of the upright with a good shot. This goal was disputed but allowed, and the East Lanes secured the winning goal when Lawton accepted a centre from Griffen to score from close in.

East Lanes:—Oxford; Swain and Steele; Thorpe, Gorman and Crowther; Griffen, Sandford, Lawton, Smith and Riding.

Club:—Rodger; Strange and Nicholls; Skinner, Forrow, and E. Strange; Fowler, Drown, Elliot, Wilson and Bickford.



Julia Scott, aged 22 (right), is here shown with her husband, William Tilton, aged 60, at Helmetta, New Jersey, after the same ceremony which made her younger sister, Cecilia, aged 18, the bride of Tilton's son. That made Julia the mother-in-law of her sister!

KOWLOON TOO GOOD FOR FUSILIERS

D. Knox At His Best

The Kowloon Football Club first and second elevens had their first friendly outings yesterday against the Royal Welch Fusiliers on their home ground at Chatham Road, and managed to win the senior encounter by the odd goal in five, although they were overwhelmed in the junior clash by five clear goals.

Kowloon and the Fusiliers were both fielding experimental elevens, but this by no means tended to ruin the senior match, which was played at a fairly fast pace throughout, despite the gruelling heat.

D. Knox, in the Kowloon centre-forward berth, gave an outstanding performance and scored

a very fine "hat-trick," his first and third goals being scorers and giving Rowlands no chance at all.

Poor Support

Minhinnet, the Kowloon junior custodian of last season, made an auspicious debut in the first team and brought off several good saves, although his positioning was not very sound. He was, however, not given very good support by his two backs, Bowen, making his first appearance for Kowloon at left-back, being inclined to wander, while Evere gave away too many corners, although his quick interceptions often checked a dangerous raid.

Bliss was a hard-working pivot, but did not receive much co-operation from his wing-halves, who did too much unnecessary running about. With the exception of W. Knox, on the right-wing, and Eastman, on the left touchline, the Kowloon attack was a penetrating one and very few "sitters" were missed.

Colony Leader?

D. Knox, in the leader's berth, has the makings of a Colony leader should he retain yesterday's form throughout the coming season. He was cool and collected at all times, while his distribution to both wings was very good, keeping the ball on the ground. G. White and V. White, occupying the inside-right and inside-left berths, respectively, were also on form and the three combined very effectively. The wingers wasted too much time before centring.

Grindley Reappears

The Fusiliers fielded the same team as last season with the exception of Sergt. Grindley, who made a re-appearance at centre-forward and later as centre-half after spending all last season at Home.

Rowlands was fairly safe in goal and was not at fault with the three goals scored against him, while Keating and Wheeler were steady, but not fast enough for D. Knox, whose elusive tactics and deadly shooting gave him his goals.

Grindley was not a success in leader and after a few minutes reverted to the pivotal position, while Talbot, the Colony inside-left, moved up to the centre-forward berth.

Not Settled

The Fusiliers combined very effectively, but it was evident that they have not yet settled down, but when they do they will be a definite menace to South China League. Their forwards did not hesitate to shoot whenever possible, and Minhinnet consequently had a trying time.

The Fusiliers opened the scoring in the first half through Roberts, their left-winger. D. Knox, however, equalised with a fine drive from 25 yards which had Rowlands beaten all the way and then gave Kowloon the lead with another fine shot, but Evans, the Fusilier inside-left, equalised from close range shortly before the interval.

The second half was much a repetition of the first and both sides enjoyed an equal amount of the play. Kowloon eventually taking the lead when D. Knox completed his "hat-trick" after taking the

AQUATIC GALA AT NORTH POINT

Pleasant Function At H. K. Electric

40 ODD PEOPLE PRESENT

A very pleasant function took place at Ming Yuen last night when the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club held a swimming gala and dance, which was attended by some 40 people, including Mr. V. Sorby, General Manager of Messrs. Gibb, Livingstone and Co. and Vice-President of the Club.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Neill, Mr. A. L. Fisher, Mr. J. S. Anderson, Miss J. Weller, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stoker, Miss J. Dalziel, Miss F. Marsh, Mr. G. Sommer, Miss G. Blackmore, Mr. C. Jackson, Mr. J. K. Sloan, Mr. C. Sloan, Mr. K. Forrow, Mr. and Mrs. Swain, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Prophet, Mrs. Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peers, Mr. S. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and their two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and daughter, Mr. Arnold, Mrs. W. Hamon and her daughter and others.

The following were the results: Greasy-Pole: Winner Mr. G. Sommer.

Mixed Novelty Race (Two men and one lady): Mr. G. W. K. Crawford, Mr. M. H. Arnold and Miss J. Weller.

Three-Legged Race: Messrs. J. F. Barron and J. K. Sloan.

Mixed Musical Novelty Race: Mr. M. H. Arnold and Miss J. Weller.

Team Race (Station v. The Rest): The Rest: Messrs. M. H. Arnold, W. Stoker, L. Gibson and P. Paul.

Large Ball Water-polo (Station v. The Rest):—won by the Station by 4 goals to 2.

Station: Messrs. R. W. Smith, W. E. Peers, J. F. Barron and J. K. Sloan. The Rest: Messrs. M. H. Arnold, W. Stoker, C. Gibson and P. Paul.

Following the gala Mr. V. Sorby presented the prizes and the pool was then thrown open to all. The gala arrangements were in the very capable hands of Messrs. T. P. Sanderson and A. F. Paul, while Mrs. A. F. Paul made an excellent job of the "light refreshment."



Y.M.C.A. HOCKEY TEAM BEATEN

Experimental Side Lose By Odd Goal

SIGNALS SHOW PROMISE

A very good hockey game was witnessed on the Marina ground yesterday evening, when the Royal Corps of Signals beat an experimental Y.M.C.A. side by 2 goals to 1 after sharing two goals at the interval, Austen and Cox being outstanding for the winners.

The "Y" were forced to field only 10 players throughout owing to the non-appearance of F. Walkden, and as a result Walter Brown, at centre-forward, received very little support in the attack.

Bates, the "Y" captain, worked very hard in the pivotal berth, and received stout-hearted assistance from Lange, at right-half.

Tremlett Shines

Tremlett gave a really outstanding display at left-back, while Henderson, a newcomer, was steady at right-back, although not quite fast enough for the opposing forwards.

A feature of the game was the splendid combination of the Signals, who should be a definite menace in this season's Small Units' Hockey Tournament. The whole of their defence was fairly sound and their clearances were good, invariably going to either a half-back or forward.

Austen opened the scoring for the Signals, but Brown equalised just before the interval. Cox scored the winning goal in the second half.

MAYOR 13 TIMES

Major the Hon. J. J. Astor unveiled a portrait in the Malson Dieu Hall, Dover, to the memory of Sir William Crundall, who was mayor of the town 13 times.

ball off the toes of one of the opposing backs.

K.F.C.:—Minhinnet; D. Everest and J. Bowen; Roberts, A. S. Elias and Mills; W. Knox, G. White, D. Knox, V. White and A. E. Eastman. Fusiliers:—Rowlands; Keating and Wheeler; Ellis, Talbot and Taylor; Perry, Dennis, Grindley, Evans and Roberts.



Five years ago Merlin Andrews (the bridegroom), a life guard at Lake Pontchartrain, near New Orleans, rescued Miss Elsie Hagner (the bride) from drowning in the lake. So after she said "Yes" they donned bathing suits and were married. They are shown walking into the water just before the ceremony.

GERMAN YOUTH PARADE AT NUREMBERG

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NEW GENERATIONS

"The youth of the past thought too much of pleasure. To-day a magnificent new generation is growing up with a new type of beauty — no longer corpulent beer-drinkers, but slim, tough, lithe sportsmen, sound in body and mind. That is the greatest miracle — a new German type of human being is growing up. "We live in agitated times. Out of the struggle have we come. Though I utter a warning I have no fear. Do not tremble, but stand with both feet planted firmly on the earth. If the hour of danger ever arrives you will stand behind me with flags held high. (A storm of applause)."

"Then our old antagonist can attack us if he dares. Let him carry his Soviet star before him. Beneath our emblem we know that victory will be ours."

The tornado of applause and cries of "Heil!" lasted for several minutes.

FRENCH PRESS COMMENTS

Paris: The vivid descriptions by eye-witnesses of the great march past of the National-Socialist leaders at Nuremberg yesterday that are published by all sections of the press here eloquently testify to the deep impression left by the event on independent observers.

The *Journal* declares that the demonstration was of indescribable beauty. The *Petit Journal* records that no emperor was ever paid such homage by his own people.

The *Matin* speaks of the fantastic and indescribable spectacle. The *Figaro* emphasises that there can be no doubt that the 100,000 persons on the Zeppelin Meadow were happy, enthusiastic and convinced.

ONE THOUGHT

The *Journal* writes that one felt that all those party members were not partisans but soldiers who had come to raise not their fists but their hearts. Germany is animated by one thought, one soul, namely, belief in the eternal destiny of the fatherland.

All the papers stress the serious warning that Herr Hitler addressed to all those who believe in the possibility of revolutionary machinations on German soil.—Trans-Ocean Service.

GERMAN WOMAN'S PLACE

Nuremberg: "We are determined to have no detachments of hand-grenade girls, women sharpshooters and the like," affirmed Herr Hitler in his address to the Nazi women's organisation, doubtless alluding to the Soviet women soldiers. "Women who rear children safeguard the existence of the race and do more than any learned university women," said the Fuehrer. "What some regard as a yoke they regard as a blessing."—Router's Bulletin Service.

WEATHER FORECAST

Light, variable winds; fine, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last evening.



With a 50-word letter on "China Seas," the M.G.M. picture starring Clark Gable and Jean Harlow, Miss Shirley McLeod, above, has won a free trip to Hong Kong and a week at the Peninsula Hotel. She will arrive by the A. O. Lines. Change on October 9.

NEW TYPE BUS FOR LONDON

Gearless Vehicles To Be Introduced

London is shortly to have 10 gearless omnibuses. They are part of a fleet of 100 oil-engined "buses" to be built by Leyland Motors Ltd. for London Transport.

In place of normal gear-boxes they will have hydraulic "torque converters," which automatically adapt the engine speed to the load and do away with the conventional clutch and gear-lever.

It is claimed for these "buses" that, besides sparing the driver mental and physical labour and so aiding towards greater safety, they eliminate for the passenger the jerky movements, due to intermittent acceleration.

VALUABLE JADE ORNAMENTS

Stolen From House Of Nobleman

Four valuable jade ornaments, alleged to have been stolen from Lord Glendyne, were produced at East Grinstead (Sussex) Police-court recently, when Anthony St. George, 38, a clerk, of Royal-crescent, Holland Park, W., was remanded in custody, charged with breaking into Horontye, East Grinstead, and stealing the ornaments and other articles.

A police-sergeant said that, when charged, St. George said: "I do not wish to say anything except that the charge is correct." Later, St. George took the police to a field on Lord Glendyne's estate and pointed out a number of other articles, stating that he took them from Horontye.



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Young Chinese Lord Comes Of Age

Ancient Ceremony And Old Ritual

Rite Of 'Capping' Signifies End Of Adolescence

(By Phyllis Juby)

THE rite of "capping," of taking the virile head-dress, marked the end of adolescence; the young lord had attained his majority. There was a special head-dress used to confer the majority in this ancient ceremony, for the head-dress is the noblest part of the clothing; the chapter of the head-dress opens the most sacred of the ritual books, the Yi Li. This ceremony of majority is the taking of a habit which consecrates a gentleman and devotes him to elegant duties. As soon as he is dressed and covered nobly, he can take part in those tournaments of lofty bearing, physical and verbal, which make up the life of the court. He will be an accomplished gentleman, wearing jewels in his ear and having his cap sewn with pearls, so that it "shines like the constellations," of whom it is said: "He will never be forgotten." His manners will inevitably be "grave, majestic, imposing, distinguished." "When the garment is all that it ought to be, the carriage of the body may be correct, the aspect of the face sweet, and calm, the forms and dispositions conformable to the rules." Then only can he be looked upon as a vassal by his prince, as a son by his father, and by all as a complete man.

The stalks must be consulted: which day will be auspicious for this important ceremony? The father of the boy, as Master of Ceremonies, in dark cap, dress clothes, black silk girdle, and white knee-pads, takes his place on the east of the doorway of the ancestral temple, his face to the west. His assistants take their places; the divining stalks, mat, and recording materials are laid out. The diviner manipulates the stalks, and writes the resulting diagram on a board to show to the Master of Ceremonies, and the day is decided upon.

Principal Guest

And then, three days before the date fixed for the ceremony, they divine concerning the man to be selected as principal guest. For, though the father occupies the place of honour during the ceremony of majority, he takes no active part in it. All the ritual acts are accomplished on the initiative of a personage, a host, who must not belong to the paternal family. Probably this host belonged to the family of his mother, the family, too, from which his betrothed must come. It is as though, at this time of initiation, the son bids farewell to the maternal group who has brought him up, and comes to join himself to the paternal group, promising his father to bring him a daughter-in-law.

On the eve of the chosen day, the announcement is made: "Tomorrow, at full light, the ceremony will commence." Rising at an early hour, the assistants set out the clothes for the young noble. There is the russet-coloured cap suit, the crimson skirt, the black silk coat, the red leather knee-caps; the white deer-skin cap suit, the white surcingle, the black silk girdle, and the white knee-caps. "For the suit of dark square-clothes, the dark skirt, yellow

skirt, or skirt of mixed colours, black and yellow, will do, with the black silk girdle and the russet knee-caps." There are also the dark blue cap, with its band split at the back, and laced, the blue silk pin-string being fixed to it; the black silk coat-cloth, whose breadth is the breadth of a web of cloth, and its length six feet; the hat-pin worn with the skin cap and the one worn with the russet cap, and the dark hatstrings with their crimson edge.

Finely Clad

All this was of first importance: the young lord was to be finely clad. He was to take pains to be beautiful, for beauty and purity are interchangeable terms. He has a soul which is moulded by his garment. At court assemblies, "a perfectly beautiful toilet opens the way and allows you to go far," for: "the coat makes the noble."

On the day of the ceremony, the father, the relatives, the usher and the young graduand, in coloured clothes, his hair tied together, stand in their respective places to greet the principal guest. Then follows all the ceremonial of politeness, the laying-out of the clothes, pins and caps, the washing of the hands, the renewed salutations. At length the host takes the dark cloth cap and, going forward in stately manner, pronounces a blessing, sits down and puts the cap on the young noble. Then he gets up and returns to his place, while the attendant finishes the fixing on of the cap. When the capped youth rises, the host salutes him, and he goes to the inner chamber, where he puts on the dark square-clothes and the russet knee-caps.

Further Ritual

When he emerges from his chamber, the host once more salutes him; he advances to his mat and sits down. His hair is combed and the hairpin adjusted by the assistant. Then the host washes his hands and adjusts the coat-cloth. He goes down two of the western steps and receiving the hinder part in his right hand and the front in his left, advances, pronounces a blessing, and puts it on as before. And the assistant finishes the tying of the pin-cord. The graduand rises and goes to his chamber, where he puts on the white surcingle and knee-caps, and assuming a grave air, issues from the chamber and stands facing the south.

For the third capping, the host goes down all three of the western steps and, receiving the russet cap, puts it on the youth. Then he, retiring, puts on the crimson skirt and the red knee-caps. Then follows the ceremony of pledging the graduand. He is given a goblet of new wine, and he must drink and pour libations; for amongst the nobles the son cannot perform the rites of marriage until he has received a cup of drink from his father. The relatives are brought next: dried meat and pickled hash, and perhaps a single sucking-pig has been slaughtered for the occasion.

Farewell To Mother

The son, now declared capable of rendering to his father the homage which is due to an overlord,

FREAK SIX-LEGGED CALF

Owned By Astrologer In Ceylon

Kalutara. A freak calf with six legs was born last month to a cow belonging to an astrologer named Munnasinghe.

The two extra legs hang from the neck and are perfectly formed even with hoofs. They are about 15 inches each in length, and are about a foot from the ground when the calf stands.

The calf looks about a week old and is in good health. Several offers have been made by persons anxious to take it out for show.

takes leave of his mother in significant fashion. Their interview takes place on either side of a half-open door: the major is no longer dependent on his mother and is shut out from the women's apartments. He presents dried flesh to her, and she, bowing, receives it.

This ceremony completes the effects of the rites of the third month after birth: the young man receives the name of a grown man, the name of a major, which is a public name; while the personal name given at the third month is now used only as a private and secret appellation.

FELL IN BOILING TAR

George Kirby, aged 29, of Walthamstow, last month fell into a boiler of boiling tarmac, from which he was rescued by fellow-workmen and taken to hospital suffering from severe scalds.

EXPLANATION OF TO-DAY'S CARTOON

The Man Without Fingerprints

RAYMOND Mount, a North American citizen, at present residing in Buenos Aires, Argentine, was unable to obtain a card of identity, as is obligatory for all alien residents of that South American country. When Mr. Mount called at the office of Police Headquarters, it was found that his fingers lacked the lines and whorls, which constitute the fingerprints of every living human. It was the first time in the history of the Argentine police that any applicant presented this strange phenomenon. Although it is mandatory to have the fingerprints of an alien resident affixed to his card of identity Mr. Mount was relieved of this obligation.

It would seem that the lack of fingerprints is hereditary in the Mount family, because his mother and three brothers have the same curious deficiency.

(Continued from Next Column) is reduced by the ingenious planning of complete assemblies, such as the valves, which can be removed and replaced without taking the various units to pieces. This aspect of design also does much to explain the speed and simplicity with which the engine can be inspected.

Incidentally, the mechanics use 10 tools for the whole job. One of the most interesting is the ring compressor employed for fitting pistons.

TAKING MOTORS TO PIECES

Demonstrations Popular

FORD MECHANICS IN TEST

The series of Ford V-8 engine demonstrations being held in various parts of America and England, during which two mechanics take an engine to pieces in six minutes and reassemble it in nine minutes, have attracted extremely wide interest. Many members of the audiences are curious to know the number of different parts which are removed and put together again to complete the task.

When the engine is dismantled it is reduced to 72 separate parts or unit assemblies. These range from large items such as cylinder heads and the cylinder block itself to small parts such as main bearing caps. The most numerous are the push rods, valve assemblies, and valve retainers, of which there are 16 each, and there are, of course, eight piston and connecting rod assemblies. Seventy-three nuts or screws are removed and replaced, 46 being fitted with washers.

Special Design Features

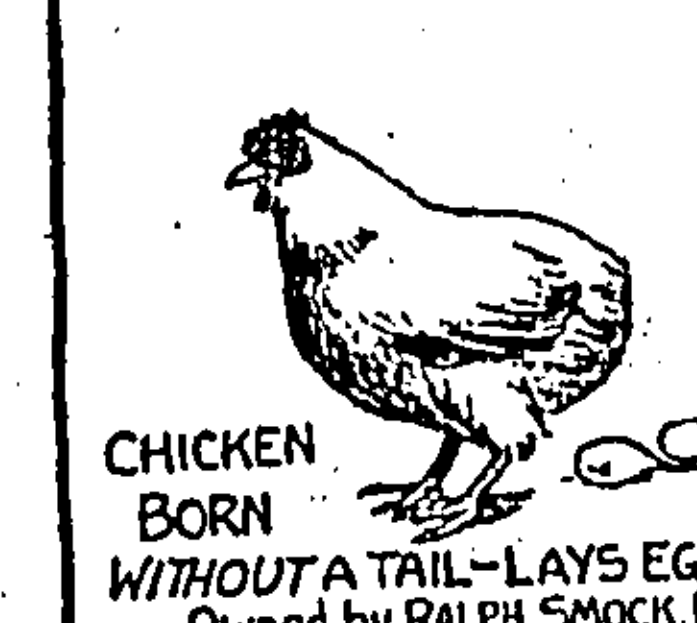
While this may appear a large number of parts to be handled in so short a time, the number is actually small by comparison with the average multi-cylindered engine. Many components are eliminated by special features of design, such as the integral casting of cylinder blocks and crankcase. This does away with the need for numerous bolts, gaskets, etc.

Also, the number of parts which it is necessary to handle separately (Continued at foot of preceding column)

"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



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"RIVIERA OF THE ORIENT"

Travel Association's Booklet

VALUABLE INFORMATION FOR TOURISTS

The handbook on Hong Kong, entitled "The Riviera of the Orient," issued by the Hong Kong Travel Association, might with advantage have been printed with more regard for the axiom that really attractive production is required in a publication of this kind, but it is nevertheless a most valuable booklet which tourists and visitors are sure to acquire eagerly. It is a mine of information, not only about the Colony and the New Territories, but also about adjoining centres in China Proper, such as Canton and Amoy, and of Macau.

The most valuable feature of the publication, which is issued at \$1, is the two scale-maps included, one of Hong Kong and the Territories, and the other of the Colony and Territories as a whole and the districts surrounding Canton. Roads, railways and paths are shown on both maps, in addition to contours of the land, while the important information of the condition of the roads is also conveyed to the intending traveller under classifications of Good, Fair, Indifferent and Bad.

Wide Field Covered

The booklet covers a wide field of really necessary and interesting information. All kinds of particulars which can conceivably be of use to intending visitors are fully covered, including such mundane matters as a recommended Chinese menu, how to get to Paddy's Market, and the excursion to the Peak and round Mt. Victoria — "only recommended in clear weather."

The important point of the probable costs of excursions and trips is stressed, and the information about hotels, etc., goes very fully into charges and prices. An abridged Directory of Hong Kong is included in the booklet, and a useful list of addresses of Government departments, a classified list of some important telephone numbers, information about coastal steamer routes and fares, and the item, under the heading "A Few Interesting Facts about Hong Kong," that "its own 'H.B.' Beer produced under the most hygienic conditions," make up the rest of the booklet — together with an elegant reproduction of photographs of the members of the Board of Directors of the Travel Association. What more could any tourist want than that?

NO "HONESTY BOXES"

"Honesty boxes" provided in tramcars in four British towns for fares not collected in rush hours will not be installed in London vehicles, as they would cause delay.

BRIDGE NOTES



JUSTIFYING A RESPONSE

(By ELY CULBERTSON)

RULES of bridge are made to be observed, and following them will usually bring the best results in actual play. However, there are many occasions when a player is justified in departing from rules and depending somewhat on imagination. This is particularly true in a hard-fought rubber game where the opposing players have a part-score and have undertaken a contract which, if fulfilled, will give them game. In such a situation as this, the house is on fire and it is a question only of saving what may be saved of the furniture. When both sides have a game and one side has a part-score of 70, obviously it requires only the slightest touch to chalk up another lost rubber. While tremendous penalties should not be taken in such a situation, still a slight daring in the bidding may perhaps be pardoned and this was South's justification on the hand below.

East, dealer
Both sides vulnerable
East-West part-score 70

S Q 8 5
H Q 10 8 7
D A Q 4
C A K 10

S 6 3 N S K J 10 9 7
H 9 5 W E H A K 6 2
D 6 5 3 2 S D K J 10 9
C 6 5 4 3 2 C —

S A 4 2
H J 4 8
D 8 7
C Q J 9 8 7

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs).

East South West North
1S Pass Pass Dbl. (1)
2S (2) 2NT (3) Pass 3NT (4)
Dbl. Pass Pass Pass
1—North could reopen the bidding in this position with as little as 2 honour-tricks; holding 4 honour-tricks, he has far more than the required strength to double.

2—East decides to make it difficult for South to respond.
3—South's hand of course is strong enough to justify some response. He decides however that a bid of three clubs will get nowhere except to a possible part score and so boldly takes command of the situation with a bid of two notrump.

Life Guard Overboard!

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"Come on over here," Ted Davis was shouting to Linda. "Get a look at a life guard in the sun-burned flesh."

Linda shook her head. "It's too deep there, Ted."

"Aw, come on. You can swim good enough. Just let go that rope."

In the impersonal voice of authority Lindsley interrupted. "That's not very good advice Davis."

Tossing wet hair from his eyes, Ted looked up belligerently. "Oh, yeah? Who's giving me advice?"

"Don't encourage anybody to take chances," said Lindsley imperturbably.

"I won't," Ted Davis promised. "For instance, I won't encourage you to give me any more advice."

It was too much. Life Guard Smithson dived. He surged up, felt the sand beneath his feet. His face suddenly confronted Ted Davis not three feet away. Forgetting that he had engaged in battle with Mr. Davis on previous occasions, forgetting that Mr. Davis had taken boxing lessons, Lindsley swung from the water.

He missed — and something hit him hard, right on the jaw. When he opened his eyes he was quite out of the water, and he saw a crowd of people all of whom seemed very much amused. Slowly he realized that he, a life guard, was being dragged to the beach by Theodore J. Davis of Crestmont!

He wriggled free. He swung again, twice. Once for a point just above Ted's trunk, again for a glistening jaw. This time things turned out as he believed they should. Old Ted Davis sagged to the sand, and Lindsley Eagles Smithson walked away from there with the shreds of his dignity about him.

A hand touched his shoulder and he turned angrily. "Oh..." It was Linda.

"It's all right, Lindsley. I told the manager what happened. There was a reporter there and I told him, too. I told them that Ted wanted me to go into deep water and you wouldn't stand for it. I — I don't care if I never see that Ted Davis again!"

Lindsley smiled. The sun broke through the clouds of Brightshore Beach. This girl in the yellow swim suit had said something like that before. But this time, Lindsley felt certain, she really meant it.

sible part score and so boldly takes command of the situation with a bid of two notrump.

4—An obvious raise to game. In view of East's bid and rebid, West had no option but to open the spade suit. A small spade was played from dummy and East's nine forced South's Ace. South could count one and possibly two spade tricks, and five clubs, the fulfilment of the contract seemingly resting upon a successful finesse in diamonds. It was true that there were two heart tricks available if they could be established before East had established his spade suit, but time was lacking for this line of play. South led a club to the Ace in dummy and when East discarded a heart the prospect of fulfilling the contract appeared brighter. East would be forced to find many discards. However, if East held all the high cards there was no occasion to hurry, so a small heart was led from dummy. East won with the King, returned the King of spades and followed with another spade, which was won in the dummy with the Queen. Now four more rounds of clubs were taken and East was forced to find four discards. He parted first with his remaining small heart and then two diamonds, but on the last club was reluctantly compelled to give up one of his established spades, as South at this time had an absolute count on his hand. Had he dared to discard another diamond, leaving the King blank, the diamond suit would have been led and the finesse refused. After running the clubs, South then led a heart, East won and cashed his remaining spade but was then compelled to lead a diamond to dummy's A-Q conceding the remaining tricks to the declarer. Ability to visualise the opponents' hands was one of the principal ingredients in the fulfilment of the contract.

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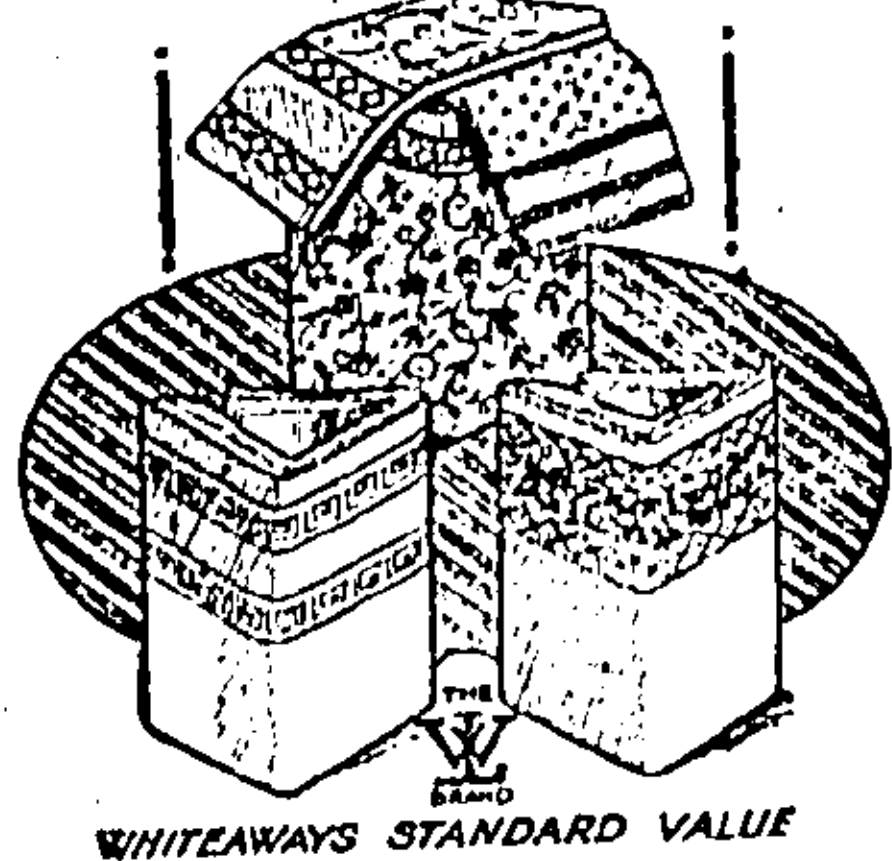
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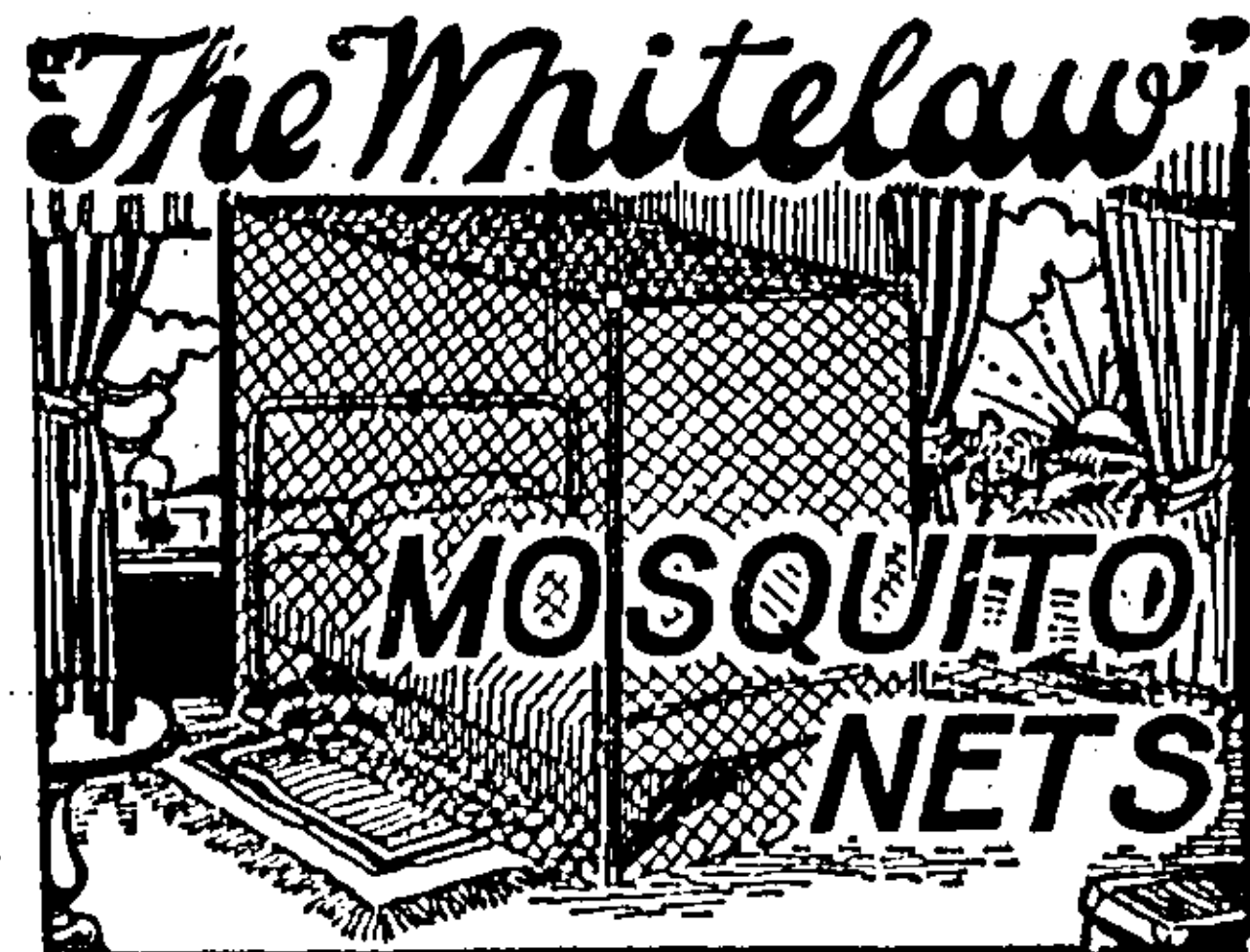
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REMARKABLE GERMAN ACHIEVEMENT

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL
Berlin, Yesterday.

The remarkable trans-Atlantic flights of two German flying-boats of the Lufthansa Co., Zephyr and Acolus, which landed respectively at New York and Bermuda in the preliminary tests for the projected establishment of a regular Atlantic air service by means of flying-boats, have created much satisfaction here.

The leading National-Socialist organ, the *Voelkischer Beobachter*, points out that the German Lufthansa is the first air transport company in the world to have achieved the difficult North Atlantic flight in the east to west direction with an aeroplane specially fitted out for a regular air mail service. This important achievement, says the paper, is the result of systematic preparation extending over many years, the practical preparatory work having begun with the catapult services organised by Lufthansa in 1929 on board the North German Lloyd liners Bremen and Europa.

EXPERIENCE UTILISED

The valuable experience thus obtained was subsequently utilised in the organisation of regular air mail services over the South Atlantic, where close on 200 successful flights have already been carried out.

The paper calls attention to the fact that the two flying-boats which have now flown over the Atlantic represent a development of the famous Dornier-Wal flying-boats, which were specially built for long-distance overseas flights, and whose value has been proved in the course of more than 12 years.—*Trans-Ocean Service.*

CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN

Non-Intervention By Powers

London, Yesterday.

It has been arranged that the next meeting of the international committee for the application of the agreement regarding non-intervention in Spain shall be held at the Foreign Office at 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon next. The French Government has now made public the text of the notes exchanged between itself and 19 of the other Governments constituting the agreement.

In connection with the collation of legislative and other steps taken by the various non-interventionist Governments to give effect to the agreement, which was one of the matters discussed at the first meeting on Wednesday, it is understood that a considerable number of Governments have already furnished the necessary information. A dozen or more replies are still awaited. All the representatives on the international committee are co-operating to advance its work.

The absence of the Portuguese representative at Wednesday's meeting was noted by more than one member of the committee with regret, and it was stated in London yesterday that the British Ambassador in Lisbon, Sir Charles Wingfield, had been again instructed to support the further representation which the French Gov-



(Left) Juan March, the Spanish millionaire, who is said to have financed the rebels in their war on the Leftist Government of Spain, is here shown in Paris, with his bodyguard shielding him from newsmen's cameras. He was ordered out of Biarritz by the French, because it was too close to the Spanish frontier. (Right) This American, holding a miniature flag in his hand, is shown beside a leftist volunteer in the streets of Madrid. American citizens in Spain are carrying flags to safeguard them from attack in the streets of Spanish cities.

ANXIETY IN CANTON

GEN. YUNG IGNORES HIS INSTRUCTIONS

New Incident Feared At Pakhoi

19TH ROUTE ARMY IN POSSESSION ON ARRIVAL OF JAPANESE GUNBOAT

Canton, Yesterday.

When the news reached here last night that the 19th Route Army under Divisional Commander Yung Chao-woon still occupied Pakhoi, and that the Japanese gunboat Saga had arrived at the port yesterday afternoon, the people in Canton were very apprehensive that new troubles may arise.

It will be recalled that General Yung Chao-woon achieved fame when he was Garrison Commander of Wusung Fort during the Shanghai War in 1932.

General Ho Ying-ching, the Nanking Minister of the Army, has instructed General Yung to leave Pakhoi, so that the Japanese Consular representatives may investigate the Pakhoi incident with the Chinese officials there, but General Yung has ignored the instructions.

In is learned that on the one hand General Yung will help the investigation in accordance with international law, and that on the other hand he is busy making preparations for war and defences.

SWATOW DEFENCES

Divisional Commander Li Hon-wan, formerly of the Ironsides, has returned to Swatow to garrison this important seaport, and the Central troops are being transported back to the North day and night by the Canton-Hankow Railway to return to their own garrisons.

General Li Chung-jen and Mr. Huang Ko-chai sent a cable to the Generalissimo yesterday, saying that they will assume their posts as Pacification Commissioner for (Continued at foot of next Col.)

CHINA PREPARES HER DEFENCES

(Continued from Page 1).

Kwang-ngai and General Tsai Ting-kai, the Shanghai War heroes. General Chen Ming-sue will be appointed Chinese Ambassador to Russia, and General Li Chai-sum Director of Military Education. Generals Ma Chan-sun and Suen Di-ying, the two famous Manchurian soldiers, will be given high military appointments. Hence all the able soldiers of China will co-operate in defence again.

CHENG TU INCIDENT

As for the Chengtu incident, Mr. Wu Hsiang-teh, the Chinese Foreign Affairs delegate to investigate the trouble, has reported to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Chang Chun, upon his investigations. Mr. Ling Sze-fan, the Chinese delegate to investigate the Pakhoi incident, will return to Canton in a couple of days. Whether the Pakhoi incident is a personal grudge or not will then be known.

FOREIGN PROBLEMS

In the meantime the Generalissimo has sent General Chu Po-teh back to Nanking to instruct Mr. Chang Chun as to the solution of the foreign problems with Mr. Yakushiro Suma, the Japanese Consul-General at Nanking, before the Generalissimo goes back to Nanking to meet Mr. Shigeru Kawago, the Japanese Ambassador to China. It is reliably reported that General Yung Chao-woon has declared martial law in Pakhoi, and there will be no clash so long as the Japanese blue-jackets do not make trouble with the 19th Route Army.

Though the Generalissimo is busy devoting his time to military and political affairs, he went to Ping Shan to enjoy the Lung Yang fruits last week. He also brought some back to Canton and had them sent to Madame Chiang Kai-shek in Hong Kong. It will be recalled that Madame Chiang went to Hong Kong by the S.S.

Kwangsi and Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government respectively on Wednesday next, and ask the Generalissimo to send an officer to Nanning to officiate at the ceremony.

The Generalissimo has instructed his Chief of Staff, General Ching Chien, to go to Nanning to officiate at this ceremony, and Generals Cheng Sheng and Huang Shao-hung to go there with General Ching to help in the reorganisation of the Kwangsi army and the rehabilitation of the civil affairs of Kwangsi.

Taihsan on August 23 to seek the professional services of Dr. T. C. Yip there. Dr. Yip is a returned Chinese student who received his medical training in the University of London. The Generalissimo did not bring any personal doctor with him, and Dr. Yip, one of the best known doctors in South China, has been entrusted with the care of the Generalissimo and Madame Chiang.

During her visit to Hong Kong, Madame Chiang helped her husband to negotiate the outstanding problems of Kwangsi with General Chang Yam-men, representative of that province at Hong Kong, and she also invited Mr. Shiu Fa-shing, of the Rightist Kuomintang Committee, to join the Government again. On Monday last, she was entertained by His Excellency the Governor of Hong Kong, Sir Andrew Caldecott, and Lady Caldecott at a tea-party at Government House.

MADAME CHIANG'S HELP

Madame Chiang came back to Canton by the afternoon express of Wednesday last after she had completely recovered from her illness. The next day she went to visit the hot spring of the Chungfa District with the Generalissimo, and they both took a hot-spring bath at Mr. Lau Pui-chuen's residence. It is stated in well-informed circles that they will both return to Nanking with General Pei Chung-hsi before the Double Tenth.

AGREEMENT COMPLETE

Shanghai: All the high political leaders in Kwangsi held an important conference at Nanning yesterday and unanimously decided to support the Nanking Government, according to Chinese press reports from the south. An official manifesto, which will be signed by Generals Li Chung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi as well as the Provincial Governor of Kwangsi, will be issued in the near future.

Meanwhile General Liu Wei-chang, a high Staff Officer of the Kwangtung Army, who arrived at Nanning yesterday from Canton with the final terms from Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, reported that Generals Li Chung-jen and Pei Chung-hsi had accepted the terms.

The situation at Pakhoi is easier, according to Chinese press reports from Hong Kong, which state that the 19th Route Army is definitely preparing to withdraw from the city in two or three days, in accordance with the Government's instructions.—*Reuter.*

LIVERPOOL SCORE 7

RANGERS BEAT MOTHERWELL

Aberdeen Held At Home

BRISTOL ROVERS RETAIN 100 PER CENT.

London, Yesterday.

Arsenal jumped into their best form to-day to beat Sunderland, premier League champions, by 4 goals to 1, while Bristol Rovers, by virtue of a 2-0 win over Northampton, retained their 100 per cent. record—the only one in the five major Leagues.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were as follows:

FIRST DIVISION		
Arsenal	4	Sunderland 1
Birmingham	2	Stoke 4
Bolton	1	Everton 2
Brentford	1	Huddersfield 1
Leeds	2	Charlton 0
Liverpool	7	Grimsby 1
Manchester U.	3	Manchester C. 2
Middlesboro'	2	Chelsea 0
Preston	1	Wolves 3
Wednesday	2	Derby 3
W. Bromwich	3	Portsmouth 1
SECOND DIVISION		
Bradford	0	Sheffeld U. 3
Burnley	1	A. Villa 2
Covevtry	2	Plymouth 0
Doncaster	0	Notts F. 2
Fulham	1	Chesterfield 0
Leicester	0	Bury 3
Newcastle	0	Tottenham 1
Norwich	1	Blackpool 2
Southampton	2	Bradford C. 0
Swansea	3	Barnsley 1
West Ham	3	Blackburn 1
THIRD DIVISION (South)		
Aldershot	2	Watford 2
Bristol R.	2	Northampton 0
Clapton	3	Reading 2
Gillingham	1	Southend 0
Luton	5	Crystal P. 2
Millwall	0	Bournemouth 2
Newport	2	Cardiff 3
Notts C.	1	Queen's P.R. 2
Swindon	1	Brighton 2
Torquay	5	Bristol C. 2
Walsall	4	Exeter 2
THIRD DIVISION (North)		
Accrington	0	Hull 1
Chester	6	Barrow 0
Crowe	2	York 2
Halifax	2	Hartlepool 0
Lincoln	1	N. Brighton 0
Mansfield	1	Carlisle 4
Oldham	4	Gateshead 4
Port Vale	2	Darlington 2
Rotherham	2	Wrexham 2
Stockport	3	Rochdale 0
Tranmere	3	Southport 3
SCOTTISH LEAGUE		
Aberdeen	2	T. Lanark 2
Albion	2	Arbroath 0
Clyde	2	Dunfermline 1
Hamilton	1	Celtic 2
Hearts	3	Falkirk 1
Kilmarnock	3	Hibernian 2
Queen O'S	2	Dundee 3
Queen's Pk.	2	St. Mirren 2
Rangers	3	Motherwell 2
St. Johnstone	0	Partick 2

STOP PRESS

Salt Lake City, Yesterday.

The London motor-racing driver, John Cobb, with three co-drivers, driving a Napier-Railton car, created a new world's record with 3,603.90 miles, at an average of 150.16 miles an hour, for 24 hours on the Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah, the scene of Sir Malcolm Campbell's land speed record. They also broke six intermediate records.—*Reuter.*

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